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Life sentences for pair convicted in 2005 shooting at Poplar store

Two men have received life sentences from a shooting that resulted from the botched robbery of Poplar Food & Liquor in November, 2005.

Cedric Hart, 24, and Tyrone Rayford, 21, were sentenced last week in Yolo County Superior Court.

During the attempted robbery, the store's owner shot back at the robbers during a gunfight.

Hart was shot in the chest and Rayford was wounded in the foot. The store owner was shot in the stomach, and his wife was hit in the hand. The store is located at Poplar and West Capitol avenues.

The robbers led West Sacramento police on a high-speed chase that ended with their capture near Elk Grove, reports District Attorney Jeff Reisig. The men were convicted in September of attempted murder, attempted robbery and assault with a deadly weapon along with enhancements resulting from the use of a firearm.

Elk Grove kids visit West Sac 'Sikh' exhibit

Students check out a museum mural depicting West Sacramento's riverfront as it looked a century ago

From Louisa Vessell
West Sacramento Historical Society

On December 4, the West Sacramento Historical Society Museum and Visitors Center opened for a tour by fourth grade students from the Ellen Feickert Elementary School in the Elk Grove Unified School District. The students were accompanied by their teachers, Nancy Harrison and William Lewis, and by some parents. In all almost fifty individuals were on the tour. Dr. and Mrs. Jasvinder Badwalz helped organize and coordinate this event for the children as well as furnished the refreshments and snacks.

Hosting the event on behalf of the historical society were society members Jeri Hughes Wingfield, Mickey Fausett, Charlotte Dorsey and Jim Brewer.

Dr. Badwalz conducted the tour of the "Sikhs of West Sacramento" special exhibit at the museum, and Mrs. Wingfield engaged the children with her explanations of the various displays in the main room of the museum.

Some of the displays the children found most interesting were the old-time tools found in the San Pedro display area and the old player piano which often prompted the question, "Where is the electricity to run it?"

Fausett occupied the children with his stories of life in West Sacramento during earlier times and what it might be like during the frequent floods. Ms. Dorsey captured images of the event for publication on the historical society's website and a CD for the school. The expressions on the faces of the children as they learned about West Sacramento, the Sikhs, and early life on the river were testament to their interest. Parents and teachers alike came away with a new appreciation and understanding of life in old West Sacramento and the Sikh culture. Jim Brewer said, "I was impressed how the children were so attentive and interested in what Dr. Badwalz and Jeri Hughes Wingfield had to say. It was a wonderful experience to have so many children enjoy our museum and learn about West Sacramento. The children enjoyed Mickey's observations too."

Sikhism is a religion that originated in South Asia during the 15th Century and is distinct from both Islam and Hinduism. This exhibit highlights their history, religion, customs, traditional dress and musical instruments. The exhibition is made possible by the West Sacramento Sikh temple in cooperation with the West Sacramento Historical Society and will continue through March 2008.

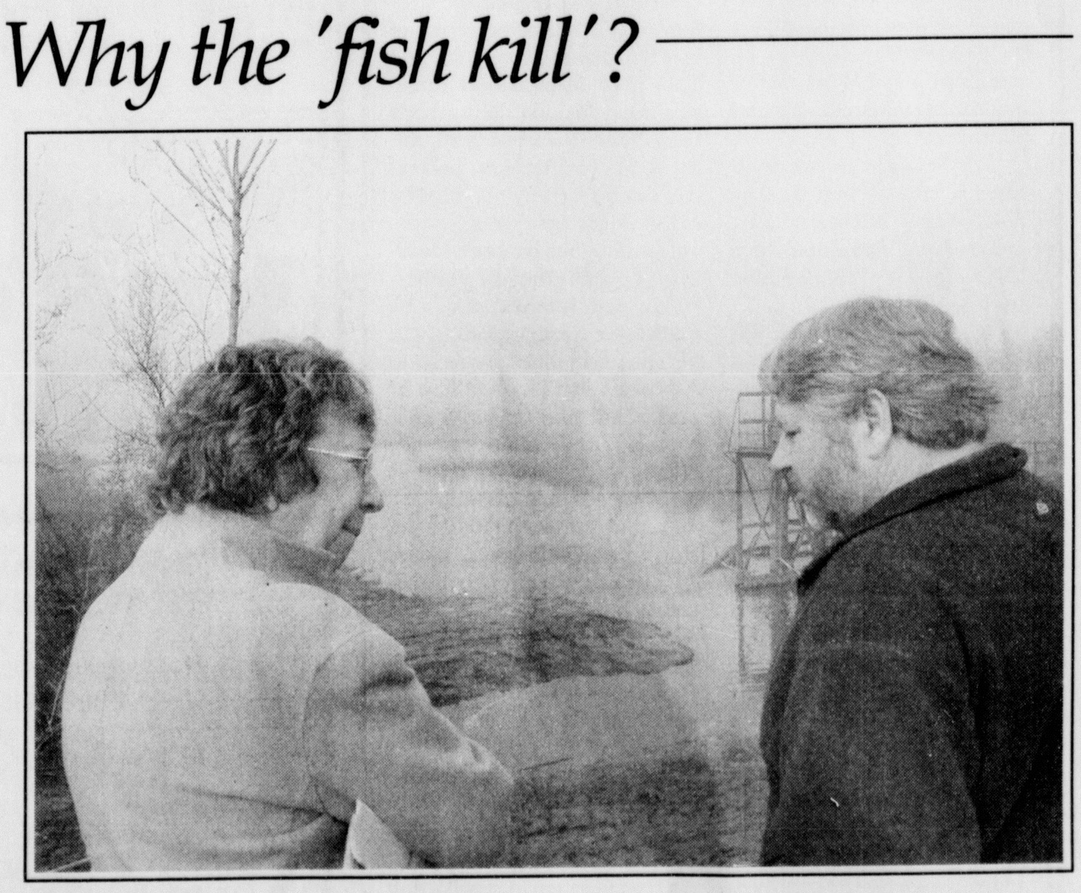
The museum is located at 324 Third Street in the Broderick district of West Sacramento. Hours for the museum are Friday, 10 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Saturday - Sunday, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Admission is free. For further information call Jim Brewer at 916-617-2288 or Jeri Hughes Wingfield at 916-371-7678 or 916-296-5616 or the museum at 916-372-1849. The website for the West Sacramento Historical Society is www.westsachistoricalsociety.org.

Throwing the switch

The West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce -- with some help from Santa -- sponsored a ceremony of music and festivities as the city's holiday tree was lit in front of city hall Friday evening. Above, City Councilman Oscar Villegas (left) helps Santa and chamber president Andy Wallace "throw the switch" for the tree's lights. You can drive by the tree at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, west of Jefferson Boulevard.

Photo by Dan Harris, City of West Sacramento

Why the 'fish kill'?



Assemblywoman Lois Wolk of the 8th District (left) visits the site of the Prospect Island "fish kill" with engineer Jim Goodwin of the Bureau of Reclamation. Aeration pumps tried to keep remaining fish alive until they could be moved to permanent waters.

Fish were stranded and dying earlier this month after the Bureau hired a construction company to seal a broken levee and pump the water out. Duck hunters saw hundreds of fish flopping around in the shallows. Dozens of volunteers waded in and netted about 6,000 fish, including nearly 2,000 adult striped bass from four to 25 pounds, taking them for release into the Delta.

Assemblywoman Wolk and others are trying to figure out how the accident happened, and what role state agencies could have better played in preventing it or reacting to it.

The joys of becoming a homeowner

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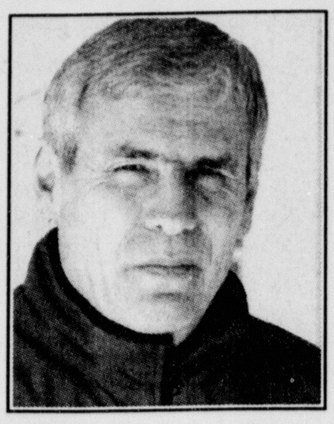

By Daryl Fisher

For the past few years, my daughter and her husband and their son, Riley, have been renting a cute little house in East Sacramento. It had just been painted and remodeled when they moved in, was in a great neighborhood, and it even had a swimming pool, so they were quite happy living there. But with house prices finally beginning to fall back down to earth in the past year or so, they recently decided it was time for them to start seriously looking for a home they could call their own. So they hired themselves a realtor, told him their price range and the areas in Sacramento they preferred, and put him to work. With his help, they visited any number of houses for sale, but couldn't quite find the perfect one for them.

"Have you ever considered moving back to West Sacramento?" I finally asked my daughter a few months ago.

"Well, not really," she answered with caution, obviously not wanting to hurt my feelings.

"There's all kinds of brand new houses for sale out in the Southport area you know," I reminded her.

"But they're all pretty much cookie-cutter houses, aren't they?"

"Well," I admitted, "that's true, but there's some really good buys out there right now and you and Dallas might want to check it out."

"No thanks, Dad. I have some friends who live out in Southport and they're always complaining about the traffic and stuff. Plus we're actually looking for a more established area -- you know, someplace with character and neighbors who have known each other for years, and with big trees that have been there for ages."

"Well, then how about the Westmore Oaks area where you grew up?" I suggested with a smile. "As you know, your mother and I have an oak tree in our backyard that is a hundred years old if it's a day."

"You want me to move back into the 'hood?" asked my daughter, returning my smile.

"Well," I said, "there's definitely some nice houses around here for sale now -- and in your price range, too -- and you might want that realtor of yours to look into it."

"I don't know, Dad. Dallas likes you guys and everything, but I don't know if he wants to live a stone's throw away from his in-laws. Plus when I was at River City High School, the goal was to get out of West Sacramento, not move back here someday."

"Well," I said, "if I remember right, that was my goal, too, way back when River City High School was called James Marshall High School, but take my word for it, West Sacramento is still a great place to raise a family and call home!"

Anyway, to make a long story short, much to my surprise, my daughter and her husband did have their Sacramento realtor look into available homes for sale in the West Sacramento area, and he found two that they really liked. They put in bids on both of them, and with a little luck from the home loan gods, were able to purchase the one they wanted the most.

"Do you realize that Riley is going to be able to ride his bike over to his grandpa's house someday?" my daughter asked me with a big smile this past weekend as she and Dallas finally finished moving into their new home.

"Yeah, that's going to be pretty cool," I admitted.

"And with me working in Davis, and with Dallas's office just across the bridge, living in West Sacramento is going to cut both of our commute times about in half. And our new house is so cute and seems to have nothing but good vibes. You know, I think we're really going to love it here!"

Less than 24 hours after the above conversation concluded, my phone rang and on the other end of the line was my hyperventilating daughter.

"Dad, you've got to get over here right this very minute!"

"What's the matter?" I asked with concern.

"Zoey (her chocolate Lab puppy) has somehow found a rat the size of a cat and has deposited it on my back porch!"

"Is it alive or dead?"

"Zoey is fine."

"No, the rat. Is it alive or dead?"

"Now how would I know that? I didn't take it's pulse!"

"Where's Dallas?"

"At the dump."

"Well," I said, "if the rat is dead, all you really have to do is just pick it up by the tail and put it in your garbage can."

"Are you crazy? I can't even look at that ugly thing, much less pick it up by it's germ-infested tail! Come on, Dad, you talked me into moving back into West Sacramento, and you never once said anything about rats, so get on over here right now!"

After I had safely deposited my daughter's rat in her garbage can I calmly explained to her that all established neighborhoods have a few rats in them, and that I often see them strolling along my electrical and phone wires at night, silhouetted against the sky. I also told her that it looked like her rat had been dead for some time and that Zoey definitely hadn't killed it.

"All I want to know," said my daughter, "is did you stuff that rat far enough down in the garbage that I won't be able to see it if I have to open up the can again before the garbage man comes?"

"Yes, I did," I assured my daughter. "And did you know that dogs often do what Zoey did -- find a dead rat or mouse and then bring it to their owner as a kind of gift?"

"You mean this might happen again?"

"I'm afraid so."

"Then you better tell Mom that my return to West Sacramento is going to be really short-lived!"

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ACROSS THE BRIDGE:

Events around the West Sac area

Book club speaker

On December 14th at 7 p.m. in the Arden Dimick Library Community Room, located at 891 Watt Avenue in Sacramento, Dr. Jay Zil will speak on "The Ethics of Prisons in Alexander Solzhenitsyn's Earliest Publications." The focus of the talk will be on the ethics of war, government and health care in the Life of Ivan Denisovich, one of the books written by Solzhenitsyn.

The meeting is free and open to the public. For more information call 799-9932.

Vintage car lecture

Bill Millard will speak on the subject of "Falling Stars: The Depression's Gorgeous Casualties" on December 19th at 7 p.m. at the Towe Auto Museum, located at 2200 Front Street in Sacramento. The lecture will cover a generation of legendary cars know for their styling and charisma which were made between 1925 and World War II. Admission is $7.

Take a walk

The Sacramento Walking Sticks will be hosting two walks for fun, fitness and friendship on December 31st and January 1st. The events will start at the Pioneer House on 415 P Street in Sacramento. There will be a 5K and 10K route available on both days. All the walks are on city streets around downtown Sacramento and are open to everyone. For more information call 364-5063.

Watercolor exhibit

The Sacramento Fine Arts Center will host the American Watercolor Society Traveling Exhibition from January 6 through February 5, 2008. Forty paintings executed by artists from all over the United States will be on display. The Sacramento Fine Arts Center is located at 5330-B, Gibbons Drive in Carmichael. For more information call 971-3713.

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Obituaries

Angelina Rivera

Angelina Rivera passed away at the age of 88 in Woodland on December 6, 2007. She was the beloved wife of 68 years to the late John Rivera; the loving mother of Ronald (wife, Lynne) Rivera of El Macero; the dear sister of Anna Mesquita of Clarksburg, Rita (husband, Dale) Clark of Pinole, and Peter (wife, Lorraine) Palamidessi of West Sacramento; and the devoted grandmother of Jill Rivera of Sacramento and Liz Rivera of Marin. She was preceded in death by her sister, Dina Andreotti.

Angelina was a 72 year resident of West Sacramento and co-founder of the family business which became the popular eatery Club Pheasant of West Sacramento. She enjoyed working, dancing, traveling with her husband to Europe, and spending time at her family's weekend home in Gualala.

Friends are invited to attend prayer services on December 13, 2007 at 1 p.m. in the River Cities Funeral Chapel in West Sacramento. Private entombment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery in Sacramento. Memorials are preferred to St. John's Manor West, 135 Woodland Avenue, Woodland, CA 95695.

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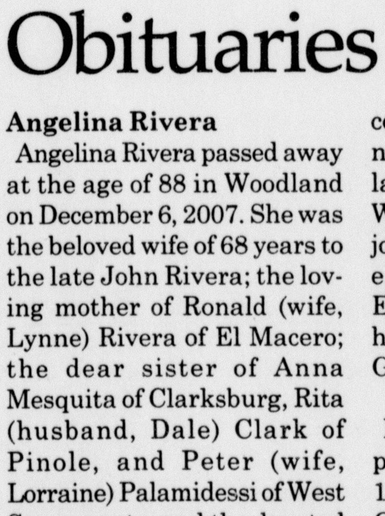

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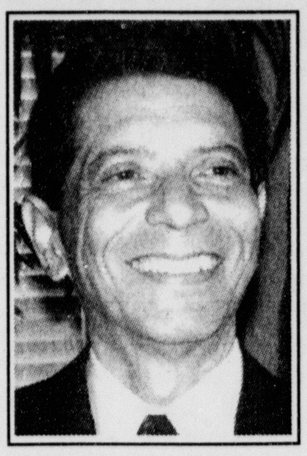
SPORTS INSIDER

By Richard Novoa



By Richard Novoa

The 2007 NCAA Division 1 Women's Volleyball Championship hits the Arco Arena with three Pac-10 Universities hammering it out for the National Title. The Final Four games are set for Thursday, December 13 and Saturday, December 15th.

The tournament opens with top-ranked Stanford (31-2) vs. No. 5 USC (29-4) at 6 p.m. Thursday, followed by No. 3 ranked Penn St. (32-2) vs. No. 10 Cal Bears (26-7) at 8:30 p.m. The winners advance to the title match at 6 p.m. Saturday.

Single–day tickets, starting at $18, will go on sale Thursday, while the three-match package ($36 and $45) are still available and can be purchased at the Arco Arena Box Office or by calling, 916-928-6900 or for group rates call 916-928-3650.

Kings Korner

The Kings (8-12) continue to play well in the friendly confines of the Arco Arena even without their leading scorer Kevin Martin. Martin pulled up lame with a pulled groin muscle and will be lost to the team for 4 to 6 weeks. K-Mart will join Mike Bibby and Shareef Abdur-Rahim on the disabled list until next year, as we watch Coach Theus's player roster begin to unravel. The Kings added swingman Dahntay Jones and waived seldom-used center Darryl Watkins, keeping their roster at the 15-man limit.

The Kings' super sub, John Salmons, has been filling the void in the absences of Martin and Bibby. Salmons has scored 20 points or more in three of the last four games and in seven of his 11 starts. He is averaging 15.5 points per game. Francisco Garcia, Quincy Douby and Spencer Hawes are receiving more playing time and producing good results.

The guys in purple have outscored the Pistons, Spurs, Rockets and Jazz at home but are still winless (0-7) on the road. On Wednesday night (4:30 p.m.-CSN) the Kings begin a long five game east coast road trip that will set the stage for the rest of the 2008 season.

The Kings will tip off the cold weather trip in Boston against the mighty Celtics (17-2) followed by quick back-to-back games in Philadelphia on Friday (4 p.m.-CSN) and Washington D.C. (4 p.m.) on Saturday night.

The Kings will get to do a little Christmas Shopping in New York while enjoying their two days off before they have to lace up their sneakers on Tuesday, December 18th in New Jersey (4:30- CSN) followed by another back-to-back game in Milwaukee on the 19th.

NFL Week 15

The 49ers (3-10) and Raiders (4-9) continue their losing ways as the NFL season heads into the final three weeks. The Niners lost at home as 10-point underdogs to the Vikings 27-7 after spotting them 27 points in the first half. The 49ers defense played great football holding the NFL's leading rusher, Adrian Peterson, to only 3 yards on 14 carries but their lack of offense and five turnovers turned the 49ers faithful stomachs again.

The Raiders on the other hand played their worst game of the year after winning two in row. The Silver and Black attack were just smashed by Brett Favre and his playoff bound Packers. The Raiders (+10), who used back up quarterback Andrew Walters for about 12 minutes, are promising to give their No. 1 pick JaMarcus Russell some playing time this Sunday (1 p.m.) at home against the Colts.

The 49ers on the other side of bay will probably use Shaun Hill at QB especially after Dilfer suffered a concussion and Smith closed out his season with shoulder surgery. Hill did get some playing time last week and was the only bright spot in the offense finishing the game with 22 of 27 completions and an impressive 106.9 passing rating, the best this season for a 49ers quarterback. This week the 49ers (+8 ½) will host Cincinnati on a special Saturday night game (5:15 p.m.) on the NFL Network.

Aztec's Picks

Aztec enjoyed his finest week of the season winning all four NFL picks and is drooling at the chops for another undefeated week. This season has been very depressing for my dog especially with weak teams like the 49ers, Falcons, Dolphins and Rams messing up the point spreads and teams like the Cowboys, Colts and Patriots running up the scores. He really feels like an underdog, especially with these odds makers setting outrageous points spreads. Who ever heard of NFL games like this weeks Pats vs. Jets laying 27 points?

Anyway, NFL playoff picture is starting to get brighter especially for the Cowboys, Packers, and Seattle, who won have clinched their divisions in the NFC and the Colts and Patriots in the AFC.

This week Aztec has an itch for the playoff hungry teams like the Saints (-4) at home against the Cards and Tampa Bay (-12), who need to regroup to stay in the playoff hunt against the Vickless Falcons, but Aztec really likes his Brownies so take Cleveland (-5 ½) over the Bills. On Monday night the Bears are getting 10-points against the Vikings in Minnesota – Aztec loves Da Bears!

Enjoy your day – see ya next week!

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Contentment, and indeed usefulness, comes as the infallible result of great acceptances, great humilities—of not trying to conform to some dramatized version of ourselves.

—David Grayson

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Wildlife tour

The Stone Lakes National Wildlife Refuge will be having a docent guided birdwatching hike on December 16th from 9-12 a.m. The trail consists of a 2 mile (roundtrip) flat semi-hard dirt trail leading through Central Valley seasonal wetlands habitats. Bring binoculars, water and sturdy shoes. To reserve a spot and get directions to the refuge in Elk Grove, call 775-4421.

Grandma Moses

The Crocker Art Museum will be displaying works of Grandma Moses until January 6, 2008. Her nostalgic scenes of rural and family life have captured hearts and imaginations around the world for decades. The museum is located at 216 O Street in downtown Sacramento. For information call 264-5423 or visit crockerartmuseum.org.

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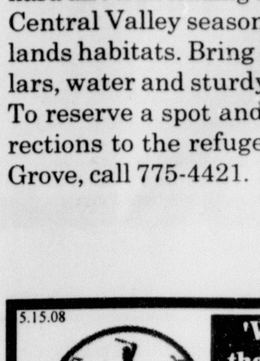

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Sports QUIZ

by Chris Richcreek

1. How many times did Boston Braves pitchers Johnny Sain and Warren Spahn each win 20 or more games in the same season?
2. In 2005-2006, Scott Podsednik recorded back-to-back 40-steal seasons for the Chicago White Sox. Who was the last White Sox player to do it?
3. Name the three quarterbacks in NFL history to have thrown for more than 50,000 career yards.
4. Who was the oldest coach to win a NCAA championship in men's basketball?
5. In 1984-85, Washington's Bobby Carpenter became the first American-born player to score 50 or more goals in an NHL season. How many more times did he do it in his career?
6. At what college did U.S. soccer great Alexi Lalas play?
7. Which of the three major heavyweight boxing titles did George Foreman NOT win in 1994 when he beat Michael Moorer at age 45 to become the oldest heavyweight champion ever.

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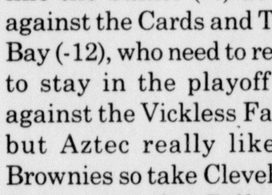

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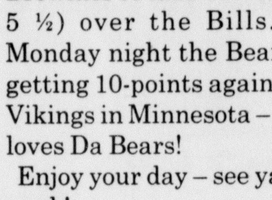

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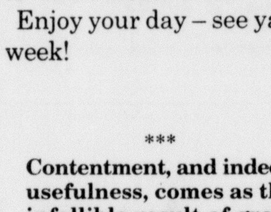

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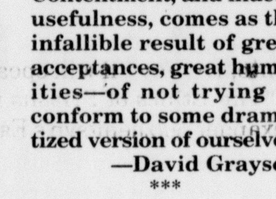

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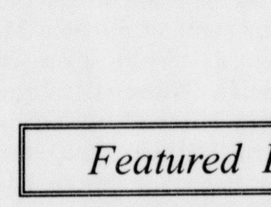

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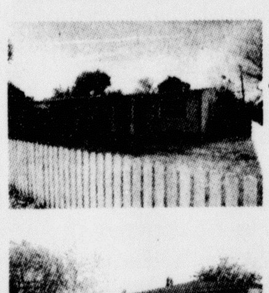

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Young folks: 'read off' your fines

Last week the Yolo County Board of Supervisors authorized the Yolo County Library to institute an annual "Read Off Your Fines" program that will allow youth to "read off" fines owed the library for overdue books that have been returned. The forgiveness program will be instituted as a short term annual event sometime beginning in 2008, and will likely be tied to a celebration such as National Library Week in April.

The Read Off Your Fines campaign will target children and young adult library card holders, age five to 18 years, who are independent readers able to read by themselves and who owe overdue fines on their own library card for previously returned material. Youth will earn a $1.00 credit for each 15 minutes spent reading a book of their choice.

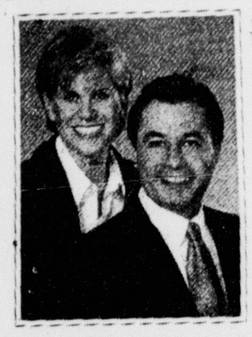
The goal of the campaign is to encourage youth who have been blocked from checking out library materials, to once again be able to return and take advantage of the many resources available at the library. This program encourages youth to take responsibility for their fines by reading passages from their favorite books in exchange for forgiving overdue fines. It is estimated that the cost of the Read Off Your Fines program could total $4,300 in fines forgiven based upon the number of youth who participated on a weekly basis in the Summer Reading Program and the number of youth who owe fines.

"The Read Off Your Fines campaign is an effective way to make library resources available to children and teens who have been blocked from checking out library materials due to outstanding fines," said Interim Yolo County Librarian Roger Pearson. "Youth who have blocked cards stay away from the library because they believe they have huge fines and are no longer welcome."

"We have a strong commitment to supporting Yolo County youth and do not want overdue fines to discourage youth from accessing library services or returning their materials," said Yolo County Board of Supervisors Chair Mariko Yamada. "The Yolo County Library staff is to be commended for instituting such a creative program."

The Yolo County Library hopes to offer the Read Off Your Fines program at each of the seven branch libraries sometime in 2008 and will broadly publicize these events once scheduled.

For more informationvisit: www.yolocountylibrary.org or call (530) 666-8005.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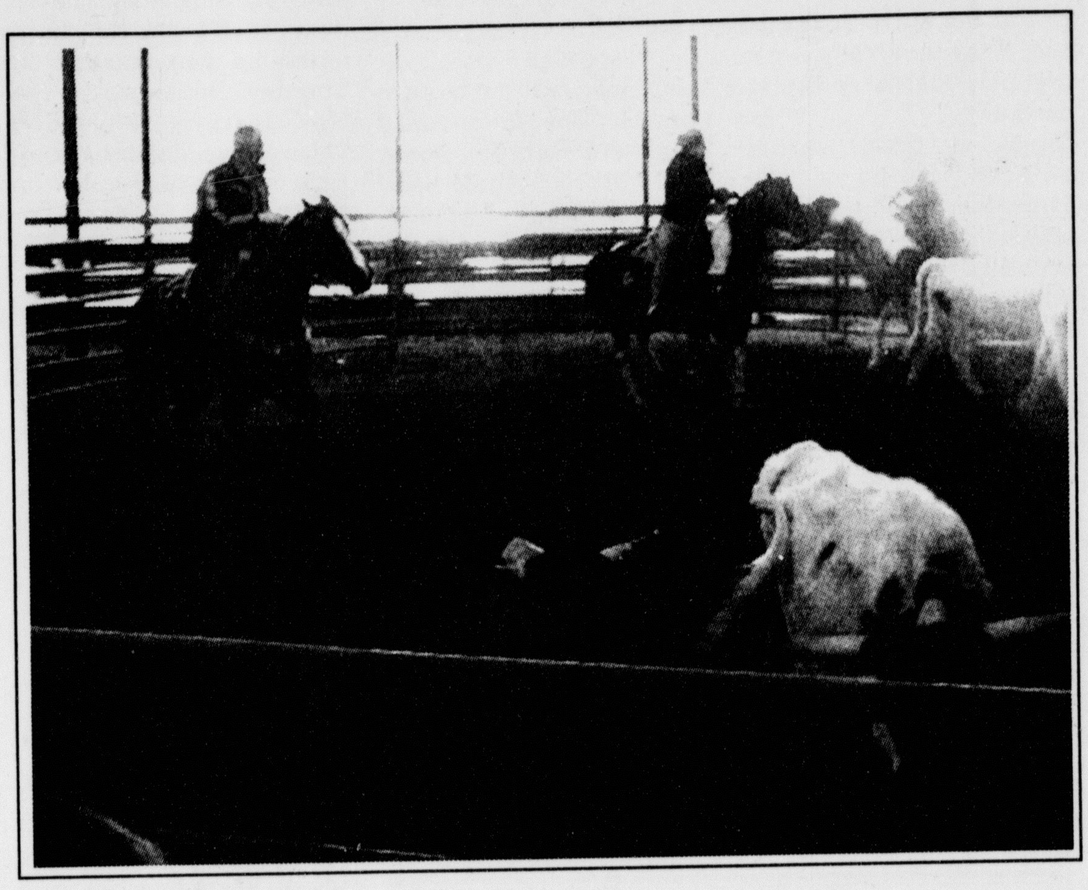
West Sac trail riders at home on the Woodland range

Members of the West Sacramento Trail Riders Association met at Woodland's Nelson Ranch on December 1 for the club's monthly ride. The riders had a chance to work their horses around cattle, participating in cattle penning and team penning. The association's next ride is planned for January.

— *Courtesy photo*



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Stockton library manager tapped for Yolo

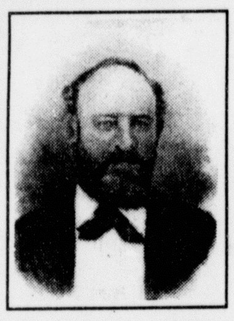
Yolo County Board of Supervisors Chair Mariko Yamada today announced the appointment of Patricia M. Wong as Yolo County Librarian. Wong will fill the position currently filled by Interim County Librarian Roger Pearson. Wong has served with the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library since 2001, most recently as Deputy Director of Library Services managing the daily operation of the Central Library, twelve branches, a bookmobile and a mobile youth literacy vehicle.

"Ms. Wong comes to Yolo County at an important time," said Chair Yamada in a press statement. "We have much to do following the successful passage of the Davis Branch Library Community Facilities District Special Tax, and as we embark on the building of new libraries in West Sacramento and Winters. We are pleased to welcome someone with her broad experience and expertise aboard."

Prior to her tenure as Deputy Director of Library Services in the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library system, Wong held positions as Library Program Manager for Children's Services in the Oakland Public Library and Supervising Librarian and Children's Librarian for the Berkeley Public Library. She obtained her both bachelors degree and Masters in Library and Information Science from the University of California at Berkeley. Wong is the co-author and/or co-editor of numerous publications, most recently *California Cultural Crossroads* in the California State Library, and has held a number of elected office positions in organizations such including the American Library Association, and the United States Board on Books for Young People.

"Yolo County offers many diverse opportunities to grow and learn and play," said Patricia Wong in a media release. "The county and the library are committed to providing quality service to all residents and I am honored to be a part of that rich tradition. I look forward to working together to create a strong library system, responsive to the needs of the communities we serve."

Wong will assume her new responsibilities in early 2008. The annual salary range for this position is $100,488 - $122,160.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Answers to puzzles (p. 8) and Sports Quiz (p. 3)

Go Figure! answers

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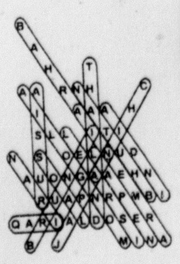

Differences: 1. Sign on shovel is different. 2. Window on door is missing. 3. Doorknob is added. 4. Man's hat is different. 5.Tree trunk is wider. 6. Man's nose is shorter.

Weekly SUDOKU — Answer

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3	4	8	9	7	6	5	1	2
6	8	1	2	4	3	7	9	5
2	5	3	7	6	9	1	8	4
4	9	7	1	8	5	2	6	3

Answers

1. Twice — 1947 and 1950.
2. Tim Raines in 1991-92.
3. John Elway, Brett Favre and Dan Marino.
4. Phog Allen was 66 when he won it with Kansas in 1952.
5. None. Carpenter's career high for a season other than 1984-85 was 32 goals.
6. He played at Rutgers (1988-91).
7. The WBC title, which was held by Oliver McCall.

Jill Jackson's HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD ... Since the writer's strike, the public has been watching reruns, and a whole new generation has discovered **Rock Hudson**. Star of screen and the tube, women fell for him, even though in later years he admitted to being gay. Christened Roy Harold Scherer Jr., his manager, **Henry Wilson**, redubbed him Rock Hudson, a name he thought sounded more like an actor and a star. And he was right — Rock was one of the biggest. In real life, he was a gentle man who loved to garden and knew the name of every flower that bloomed. I had the pleasure of knowing him, and enjoyed every minute of times we spent talking gardening ... and a bit of gossip.

And while on the subject of name changes for a career, get some of these: **Karl Malden** is Karl Malden Sekulovich; **Glenn Ford** was Gwyllen Samuel Newton; **John Garfield** was Jacob Julius Garfinkle; **Mia Farrow** was Maria de Lourdes Villiers; **Charlton Heston** was Charles Carter; **Sean Connery** was Thomas Sean Connery; the late, great singer **Mario Lanza** was Alfred Arnold Cocozza; and **Carole Lombard** was Jane Alice Peters. There are literally hundreds more who have taken "stagier" names. An exception: **Tommy Lee Jones** was named that at birth and kept it.

Aside to Murray H. of Princeton, N.J. Sorry, you're wrong, and you lose your bet. **Billy Bob Thornton** is not **Angelina's** only "ex." She was married to **Johnny Lee Miller**, who is now starring in "Eli Stone" on the ABC network. Personally, I think Angelina is beautiful, a good actress and a good mother, but she sure is unpredictable when it comes to her love life.

Barbra Streisand

As the new year rolls in, let's take a look BACK at some interesting things and happenings in years gone by. ... **Drew Barrymore** tried to kill herself at age 13 with too much alcohol and cocaine. She couldn't deal with the fame. Thank goodness all that is now well into the past. ... **Dustin Hoffman** said his hands were tied behind his back when he was a child so he wouldn't bite his nails. It didn't work. He still does. ... **Elvis Presley** had a twin brother who died at birth. ... When **Sylvester Stallone** was a youngster, he loved to jump off roofs with an umbrella trying to be Superman. ...

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POLICE LOG

Dec. 6, 5:48 a.m.
A person on the 2000-block of West Capitol Avenue reported that someone stole a half-tank of gasoline from a vehicle parked there. "They drained it dry" was the report.

Dec. 6, 8:36 a.m.
The principal of a continuation school reported that a teacher had been threatened by a student.

Dec. 6, 9:18 a.m.
A knife was found at a Todhunter Avenue school. It was believed possibly related to an incident the day before.

Dec. 6, 12:30 p.m.
A Haverhill Street resident reported that someone had used the resident's credit card information and got ahold of the resident's credit report.

Dec. 6, 12:45 p.m.
A burglary and vandalism incident was reported at a Jamaica Street home. Burglars broke dishes, cut cables, damaged the house, and scratched a vehicle and damaged its lock.

Dec. 6, 2:53 p.m.
An Anna Street school called police: some kids had been picked up by someone after school, and their father was on campus wanting to know where the kids were.

Dec. 6, 3:36 p.m.
Vandalism was reported on a truck parked on Carlin Drive.

Dec. 6, 5:21 p.m.
A Ford Escort and a Plymouth were involved in an accident near 5th and C streets, and were partly blocking traffic. There were no injuries.

Dec. 6, 10:13 p.m.
A caller reported that a drunk woman was preparing to get in her car and drive away from a Jefferson Blvd. bar.

Dec. 7, 6:50 a.m.
A resident of the 700-block of Todhunter Avenue reported that someone let the air out of a vehicle's tires.

Dec. 7, 9 a.m.
A bleacher bench was reported stolen from a playfield at an Anna Street school.

Dec. 7, 2:06 p.m.
A 49-year old West Capitol Avenue man was arrested for shoplifting at a West Capitol supermarket.

Dec. 7, 3:30 p.m.
A Sumatra Street resident reported an identity theft episode dating back to 1992.

Dec. 7, 3 p.m.
An officer saw a 39-year old West Capitol man cross four lanes of Jefferson Boulvard on its 800-block. The man nearly was hit by a vehicle. The officer contacted the man, who had no ID and said he was not on parole or probation. When confronted about inconsistencies in his story, the man admitted his identity. He was a parolee. The parole office was contacted and asked that the subject be held.

Dec. 7, 11:50 p.m.
On the 1300-block of May Street, a resident reported that four or five bullets had been fired at a home. The suspects fled. Officers found three bullet holes and a casing from .380 caliber ammunition at the scene.

Dec. 8, 4:42 a.m.
Someone broke the glass entry door at a Stillwater Drive business, then fled.

Dec. 8, 8:11 a.m.
An officer saw a car that was confirmed as stolen near West Capitol Avenue and Pine Street. An attempt to stop the car led to a high-speed chase. The driver eventually crashed in Sacramento and fled on foot. The 26-year old West Sacramento man was caught and arrested.

Dec. 8, 11:11 a.m.
A Todhunter Avenue woman said a suspect forced himself into her residence and demanded money.

Dec. 8, 6:04 p.m.
A woman reported that her purse – containing cash, credit cards and a driver's license – was stolen from her place of work on Riverpoint Court.

THIS IS A HAMMER

By Samantha Mazzotta

Oh Joy! What Goes Up Must Come Down

While we celebrate the Christmas holiday this week, most of us DIY'ers are already thinking about the chore of removing and storing outdoor and indoor decorations. Here are some safe and effective tips for taking down all those holiday decorations you so painstakingly put up.

—Use a sturdy ladder whether working indoors or outdoors, with a helper to hold it steady.

—Always use caution when working around electricity.

—Change any burnt-out bulbs before taking down light strings, and secure remaining replacement bulbs in their small plastic bags near the end of each string.

—Putting a light string back onto the same plastic card from which it came from the store can be maddening. Instead, wrap the string around a spare piece of cardboard. To keep them from sliding off, cut small notches along each side of the cardboard and slip the wires into the notches as you wind on the string.

—Store outdoor and indoor lights in separate, weather-resistant boxes, and mark each box clearly.

—To keep from having to hunt down extension cords next year, pack extension cords with their corresponding light sets. Purchase any additional cords that you will need now, during the after-Christmas sales.

—Lawn decorations should also be packed in clearly marked, weather-resistant boxes (see-through plastic storage boxes are ideal). Place newspaper or biodegradable packing peanuts between items to prevent scratches and dings.

—Fully deflate inflatable lawn decorations; coil tethering ropes and tie off to prevent tangles, and collect and tape together anchoring stakes so they can be found easily next year.

—Designate a spot in the garage, attic or basement to store all holiday decorations together, and place them so that the biggest items come out first (such as the tree, lights and lawn decorations) and the smaller trimming items come out last.

Taking down holiday decorations is never going to be an absolute breeze, but storing them properly will minimize headaches next year and beyond.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeguru2000@hotmail.com, or write This Is a Hammer, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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home tip

Label cardboard storage boxes using red or green markers to designate those that contain Christmas items. For plastic storage bins, attach leftover holiday stickers.

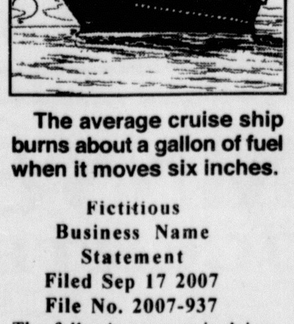
TOP DVD RENTALS AND SALES

Top 10 Video Rentals

1. **Live Free or Die Hard** (PG-13) *Bruce Willis* (Fox)
2. **Hairspray** .....(PG) *John Travolta* (New Line)
3. **Shrek the Third** .....(PG) *animated* (Paramount/DreamWorks)
4. **Ocean's Thirteen** .....(PG-13) *George Clooney* (Warner)
5. **Rescue Dawn** .....(PG-13) *Zach Grenier* (Fox/MGM)
6. **I Now Pronounce You Chuck and Larry** .....(PG-13) *Adam Sandler* (Universal)
7. **Ratatouille** .....(G) *animated* (Disney)
8. **Spider-Man 3** .....(PG-13) *Tobey Maquire* (Sony)
9. **The Santa Clause 3: The Escape Clause** .....(G) *Tim Allen* (Disney)
10. **Deck the Halls** .....(PG) *Danny DeVito* (Fox)

Top 10 DVD Sales

1. **Shrek the Third** .....(PG) (DreamWorks)
2. **Ratatouille** .....(G) (Walt Disney)
3. **Ocean's Thirteen** .....(PG-13) (Warner)
4. **Spider-Man 3** .....(PG-13) (Sony)
5. **I Now Pronounce You Chuck and Larry** .....(PG-13) (Universal)
6. **Transformers** .....(PG-13) (DreamWorks)
7. **Meet The Robinsons** .....(G) (Walt Disney)
8. **Amazing Grace** .....(PG) (20th Century Fox)
9. **Gilmore Girls: The Complete Seventh Season** ....(NR) (Warner Bros.)
10. **The Jungle Book** .....(G) (Walt Disney)



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File No. 2007-937

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County of Yolo
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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NO: PT-07-2451

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner Majuana Huddleston filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: Majuana Huddleston

Proposed name: Mauana Anderson.

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING: Jan. 8, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 2, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 725 Court St., Woodland CA 95695.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: West Sacramento News-Ledger.

Date: Nov. 9, 2007.
Judge of the Superior Court
Dec 12 19 26 Jan 2

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Director of Public Works and Community Development, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd floor, West Sacramento, California until **10:00 a.m. local time on Thursday, January 24, 2008** for the:

In-Line Booster Pump Station Project

The proposed work consists of the following:

Description of Work: The work consists of construction of a potable water booster pump station which includes pumps and associated piping, electrical controls, and a bypass valve housed in a single-story masonry building with mezzanine. The pump station facilities include a flow meter vault, standby generator, site piping, paving, electrical and instrumentation, wrought iron fencing and gate, and connection to two existing potable water force mains.

Completion of Work: Notice to Proceed will be granted on or before February 15, 2008. The pump station shall be in automatic control by February 27, 2009, and all punch list items shall be completed by the final completion date of March 27, 2009.

Obtaining Contract Documents: Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Director of Public Works and Community Development, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd Floor, West Sacramento, California. A copy of bid documents may be obtained at the office upon request and payment of $150.00 or may be mailed upon request and payment of $160.00. The amount of the payment is non-refundable.

Submission of Proposals: All proposals must be submitted not later than the time prescribed. The bidder is wholly responsible to see that his bid is submitted at the time and place designated for the opening of bids. Any bid received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the scheduled time for opening bids.

Each bid must conform and be responsive to this notice and shall be made on the official proposal forms furnished with the contract documents.

Attention is directed to the provisions of the Business and Professions Code Section 7028.15 which makes it a misdemeanor for any person without a valid contractors license (with specific exceptions) to submit a bid to act as a Contractor to a public agency.

Proposal Guarantee: Each proposal must be accompanied by cash, a cashier's check, certified check or bid bond, executed on the prescribed form, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the total bid price payable to the City of West Sacramento.

Bidders are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 4590, securities may be substituted for any monies which the City may withhold pursuant to the terms of this Contract to ensure performance.

Construction License: The successful bidder must possess a current **Class "A" General Engineering** Contractor's License issued by the State of California.

Pre-Bid Meeting/Job Walk: Prospective bidders are invited to attend a non-mandatory pre-bid meeting/job walk to discuss the project, schedule, construction sequencing, etc. and visit the job site. The meeting will be conducted by the City and the Engineer at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 10, 2008, and will begin at the City of West Sacramento's City Hall at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA.

Award: The award shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder whose proposal complies with the specified requirements. The award of Contract will be made by the Director of Community Development, and the Contractor shall execute the Contract within ten (10) days after he has received the Contract from the City.

The City reserves the right to waive any irregularity in the proposals. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the opening of bids.

Rejection of Bids: The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Any bid not conforming to the intent and purpose of the Contract documents may be rejected. The City reserves the right to make all awards in the best interest of the City.

Disqualification of Bidder: If there is a reason to believe that collusion exists among any bidders, none of the bids of the participants in such collusion will be considered and the City may likewise elect to reject all bids received.

Relief of Bidder: Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code Section 5101 and following, concerning relief of bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the bidder claims a mistake was made in his bid, the bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred.

Wage Rates: Bidders are hereby notified that the California Director of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to execute the work.

It shall be mandatory for the Contractor and any subcontractor under him to pay not less than the said specified rates to laborers and workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract.

Bonds: The successful bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price.

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Trustee's Sale Number: 45483 TSG #: 1145538 Notice of Trustee's Sale Notice YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED September 19, 2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On January 2, 2008, at 12:45 PM, At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California, Alliance Title Company, as duly appointed trustee, will sell, at public auction to the highest bidder, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described property situated in Yolo County, California: 2675 Higgins Rd, West Sacramento, CA – APN(s) 045-121-20-1. The Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said Sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to pay the remaining unpaid balance of the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust (together with any modifications thereto), executed by Tommy C. Rodriguez, a married man as his sole and separate property, as trustor, and recorded September 27, 2005, as Instrument Number 2005-0048018-00 in the office of the Yolo County Recorder. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be $352,490.11, provided, however, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances, fees and any additional sums due under the terms of the Note will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. Date: December 12, 2007 Alliance Title Company, Trustee 209 Kearny Street, 2nd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94108 (415) 263-4300 By: Brandon L. Torrez, Authorized Signature Sale Information at 714-573-1965 or logon to www.prioritypostng.com Use TS Number 45483 P341892 12/12, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/2007

Trustee Sale No.: 20070025302640 Title Order No.: M712732 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 5/9/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 05/26/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0024676-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Jesse Angel Rubalcaba Jr, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 1/2/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 639 Hardy Drive, West Sacramento, CA 95605 APN#: 014-288-03-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $214,115.28. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 12/8/2007 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P340358 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/2007

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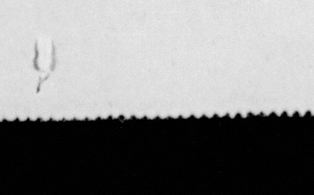

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EIGHT INDEPENDENT-LEADER

WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered 6 feet 2 inches, United States gauge at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday.

Miss Maureen Taylor of West Sacramento suffered a severe sprain to her arm last Monday at the court house in Sacramento when she tripped on some fruit peelings. She has been confined to her home for several days, but is again able to attend to her work.

Sheriff Monroe was a visitor in Washington and West Sacramento last Wednesday on official business.

Mrs. Kate Mackey has been a visitor at the home of her daughter, Pearl O'Haver, in West Sacramento for several days of the past week.

A meeting of the trustees of Reclamation District 900 will be held next Thursday evening, February 28th, at Headquarters Building, starting at 8:15 p. m.

Judge Barry, wife and several members of his family have been confined to their home during the past week suffering with a mild case of flu. Yesterday they were all feeling better, but still taking regular doses of medicine.

Mrs. Louise Smith, sister of Supervisor Leinberger went to San Francisco this morning for a few days' visit and a little vacation.

Volunteer firemen of Washington are arranging for a popular dance to be held in the town hall on Saturday evening, March 1st. The firemen have always been careful to furnish good music for their dances and have conducted those entertainments to make them attractive to all the people of the town. For the coming occasion the hall will be decorated and the proceeds will be devoted toward the improvement of the department.

Next Wednesday afternoon a public meeting is to be held in the public school building under the auspices of the State Hygienic Department and under the control of Miss Platt. The object of the meeting is to make arrangements for a dental clinic so that the children of the community may have their dental deficiencies corrected.

A Ford automobile, registered in the name of J. R. Martin of Vallejo, was found on the highway about a mile and a half west of town last Monday evening by Constable Buckingham. To all appearances the Ford was simply abandoned by somebody who had driven it from Vallejo and upon approaching town deserted it upon fear of being apprehended. The car was in splendid running condition, nothing being out of order except the tail light, the wires of which were cut, evidenty with the intention of concealing the registration number. Martin was notified that the car was held here, but so far has taken no action to redeem it.

Mrs. Florence Johnson (Buckingham) was up from Stockton last Wednesday to visit her mother, and returned to her home early yesterday forenoon. Mrs. Buckingham has not been feeling very well during the past two weeks owing to a severe cold but is now greatly improved.

Mr. A. Graves and family have moved into the cottage owned by Mrs. Hattie Stewart.

Mrs. A. A. Dassonville and Mrs. Frank De Riso, Sr., spent Tuesday in a trip to Oakland and San Jose.

D. Berry, who has resided in Washington for some time, has how removed to Oak Park, where he expects to remain permanently.

Seth Barry is confined to his home by illness.

A party composed of the following residents of Washington spent last Sunday visiting with friends in Dutton: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, Frank Todhunter and Charles Todhunter.

A number of young people, who reside in Washington, attended a surprise party given in honor of Francis Bennett in Colonial Heights last Saturday night. Among those attending were the Misses Dorothy Van Deren, Ruth Rickard, Leona Williams and Cynthia Meyers, the Messrs. Fleming, Peek, William Dupyzk, Allen Johnson and Kenneth Van Deren.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Cook of Washington entertained the following guests at their home over the weekend: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ford of Roseville, Mrs. William Gordon, Delbert Gordon, and Miss Ethel Cook of Napa.

Mrs. A. M. Cameron, who has been confined to her home by illness for the past several days, is able to be up again.

Frank Da Giau is confined to his home in Washington by illness.

Mrs. Ofa Conrad and Mrs. Grace Stewart, who have resided in Washington for some time, are now moving to Sacramento, where they expect to make their home permanently.

James Lindsay was arrested by Detectives Thomas Pierson and Al Babayaco last Sunday on the charge of annoying girls in the Capital Candy Company factory and women crossing the bridge to Sacramento. He had made a practice of this for some time past and so careful was he that he never slipped up when any men were around. Girls who had been accosted by him made complaint to the Sacramento officers but invariably he made his escape when an officer approached the bridge entrance. He was tried before Judge Anderson last Tuesday and given thirty days in the city jail.

Last Sunday a week ago, several windows were broken in the Chinese house on Third street near the M street bridge. A party of young men drove along Third street in a small roadster and threw unripe oranges at the windows while passing. Seven panes of glass were broken in the bombardment and it seems lucky for the young men that none of the Chinese took a shot at them for their trouble. A reward is being offered for the arrest and conviction of those guilty of doing the damage.

SPECIAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN DISTRICT 900 ON MARCH 19TH TO SQUARE OFF BOND ISSUES

Some question has arisen as to the result that will follow if the refunding bond election in Reclamation District No. 900 set for March 19th, 1924, carries. At the election in question, there will be submitted to the landowners of the district, the question of whether or not authority shall be given for refunding issued and outstanding bonds of said district in the principal sum of $908,000, being all of the bonds of said district outstanding dated January 1, 1922. If this refunding bond election carries, then it will remain to the trustees of the district from time to time as bonds of the issue of January 1, 1922, come due, to determine whether or not said bonds shall be discharged by an assessment levied against landowners of the district or instead by the sale of refunding bonds.

The cost of a refunding bond election is quite considerable. It requires no more procedure to authorize the refunding of the entire outstanding issue of $908,000, than it does to authorize the refunding of merely one installment of that issue.

Merely as a matter of economizing the cost to the district, the trustees of reclamation district No. 900, following the example of the trustees of reclamation district No. 1000, and reclamation district No. 1001, are calling an election to submit to the landowners the question of whether or not authority shall be given for the refund of all outstanding bonds of the first issue. By taking this course, there will be the expense of but one election, the expense of but one validation suit, the expense of but one printing of bonds, the expense of securing but one certified copy of the county assessor roll.

With refunding bonds for the entire issue authorized, it will then rest with the trustees of the district to determine whether or not they shall raise funds by assessment or by the sale of refunding bonds in each year, some three or four months prior to the due date of the installments of the first issue. If the district is in a position to stand the assessment, the trustees will, as a matter of course raise the money by assessment. On the other hand, if it be an off year, and the landowners are not in such financial condition as to easily assimilate the assessmet, then the trustees will have the other alternative of selling refunding bonds instead of calling on the assessment.

IMPROVEMENTS TO BE MADE BY HORST AT WEST SACRAMENTO

Frank C. Lane and family who have been occupying the old Kripp home at West Sacramento during the past year on the property owned by E. Clemens Horst, has been notified to move out in order that improvements might be made to the dwelling and that it be placed in proper condition for tenants.

Lane may move to Knights Landing to make his future home there. There are no homes in West Sacramento for rent at the present time.

It has been reported that it is the intention of Mr. Horst to improve all the property that he owns around West Sacramento headquarters. This, it is said, will mean strengthening of fences and the planting of several acres to fruit frees.

It has also been reported that the old barns built of corrugated iron on the northern side of the roadway near headquarters are about to be moved further back on the lot or possibly may be torn down and moved to other localities. Those barns are not being placed to any particular use at the present time and are conseuently falling into decay.

Some very valuable property in this locality is owned by Mr. Horst, but at the present time is practically bringing no revenue to its owner for the investment.

GAS COOKING DEMONSTRATIONS BEING MADE

Under the supervision of Mr. Schwartz and with the aid of Miss Emaline Rich, gas cooking demonstrations have been made during the past week in the homes of Mrs. McNevin on Fourth street and the Manchester home on Margaret street.

Representatives of the stove supply houses of Sacramento have also been present to demonstrate the value of their stoves.

At the Manchester home on Tuesday nineteen residents were present to view the process of using gas in household cooking and in the Manchester home on Thursday nineteen other ladies were present to take part in the demonstrations.

Both meetings were a great success and tended to increase the confidence of the housewives of Washington in the art of cooking with gas.

Mains are now being laid north of the railroad track on Anne street, along Fourth street, and from there will lead to all cross streets so that every home in the town can get a supply for household purposes.

A petition is being circulated in Riverbank. Mrs. T. Sanchez has been active in its circulation and several other ladies are aiding her so that the necessary number of signatures may be secured to induce the P. G. & E. Company to extend its supply pipes to that community.

The ladies have no fear about being able to get enough names to induce the corporation to furnish a supply.

CLARKSBURG ITEMS

Professor P. W. C. Heiser and Mrs. Heiser of Spokane, Wash., the former a brother of Mrs. M. S. Contente, are visitors at the Contente home and will remain several days before going to Southern California.

Joseph L. Contente was in San Francisco attending the monthly directors' meeting of the I. D. E. S. Insurance Co.

Manuel Neves of this locality was recently married to Miss Nell Morris of Sacramento. They have returned from their honeymoon and will reside in Sacramento.

Mrs. Frances E. Soto, beloved wife of the late John Soto, and one of the most respected ladies of this locality, died Thursday, February 13, at the residence of her daughter, 2327 Fourth avenue, Sacramento, and her funeral was held Saturday, February 16, from her daughter's residence, and services were held at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church. A great many of her friends from all parts of the state were present. Mrs. Soto was 74 years old and leaves to mourn her 11 daughters, 5 sons, 42 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren. The following are her children: Mrs. Mary Fernandes, Mrs. Frances Perry, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. Henry Costa, Joseph and Wililam Soto, all of this locality: Mrs. Anna Frates of Natomas, Mrs. Louis M. Miguel of San Francisco, Mrs. Joseph Ramos of Los Banos, John Soto of Newcastle; Amelia, Manuel, Antone Soto, Mrs. Antone Valine, Mrs. John Marks and Sister Mary Dolores of Sacramento.

Joseph L. Contente was in Woodland during the week as a juror.

On Saturday evening a reception was tendered Prof. and Mrs. P. W. C. Heiser of Spokane, Wash., at the Contente residence. The evening was spent in dancing and games and later a supper was served.

Those present were Prof. and Mrs. P. W. C. Heiser, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Contente, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Contente, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Heiser, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Winn of San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. M. Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Maciel, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mederas, Mrs. Eva Soto, Ethel Contente, Gladys Soto, Alice Frichette, Norma Contente, Myrtle Garcia, Lorraine Soto, Mabel Contente, Edward Garcia, Harry Garcia, Wm. Garcia, Joseph L. Contente, Elmer Soto, Lloyd Contente, Herman Contente, Howard Contente, Alton Maciel.

REGISTRATIONS VERY SLOW; MUST BE MADE BEFORE APRIL 5TH

Woodland, Feb. 20.—Registrations are coming in exceedingly slow for the May primaries, according to County Clerk Harry R. Saunders, in order to participate in the primaries registrants must state their politics. This is in accordance with new state law.

The presidential preference primary election takes place May 6th.

Registration enabling electors to vote at that election closes April 6th.

All whose names are not on the new great register by April 6th cannot register their choice of a presidential nominee at the May 6th election.

If an elector desires to vote at this election and express a choice of a presidential nominee the party affiliation must be given.

Some newspapers take it as a matter of surprise that a Danish baron is attending the University Farm at Davis.

That's nothing. Many a baron we have seen rolling in the gutter before now.

ROADS OF THIS DISTRICT BEING GREATLY IMPROVED

Over one hundred carloads of crushed rock have been distributed in this supervisor district during the past two months under the direction of Supervisor Leinberger.

This has been a great accommodation to residents of this district, especially where finished roads have not been built.

The river levee road south of West Sacramento has been greatly improved by the spreading of rock which was mostly done by the Van Tassel family.

Several of the streets of Washington have also been rocked to the great satisfaction of automobile owners of this section. Among these might be mentioned Second street between Anne and Harriet, and Fourth street north of Anne street.

The road from Kiesel Station to Elkhorn has been rocked for a distance of about a mile, as also has the road from Waldeck's place north to the rear end of the Elkhorn district.

Several carloads have been placed on the roadway at Glide Station and several more carloads have been placed near Babel Slough, extending as far south as the Glide ranch.

With a little more rain this rock will find firm footing on the dirt road and make a splendid highway duirng the coming summer.

South from the state highway in West Sacramento and through Carly Acres a firm and substantial road has been built that has been badly needed since the place was opened for colonization.

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS REWARD

FOR THE ARREST AND CONVICTION OF FIVE YOUNG ROUGHNECKS WHO SMASHED SEVERAL LIGHTS OF WINDOW GLASS IN CHINESE BUILDING ON THIRD STREET, NEAR THE M STREET BRIDGE, ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH. A REWARD IS HEREBY OFFERED IN THE SUM OF $25.00.
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Toilet Paper, fine tissue, 7 rolls	25c
Scott Paper Towels, 25 in package, 4 packages	25c

ARF'S BOTTLE YARD

Christmas tree watered? Smoke alarms all set?

Red Cross offers safety tips for holiday season

As the holiday season moves into full swing, the American Red Cross of Yolo County urges families to follow simple safety tips to keep the season merry and to prevent holiday fires. During the winter holiday season the incidence and severity of home fires dramatically increases. In fact, according to the U.S. Fire Administration, each year nearly 47,000 fires occur nationally during the holidays claiming more than 500 lives, causing more than 2,200 injuries, and costing $554 million in property damage. Many of these fires are caused by home heating sources, unattended cooking, and candles.

"Many home fires can be prevented, and that's what makes this type of disaster so devastating," said Donna Neu, Executive Director. "The holidays can be a time of celebration, and by following a few quick safety tips you can help to prevent your family's festivities from being disrupted by a fire. Making safety an important part of your holiday preparations can help you do this."

To prevent holiday home fires, the Red Cross recommends keeping all potential fuel sources, including decorations and evergreen trees and wreaths, at least three feet from heat sources such as candles, heat vents, fireplaces and radiators. In addition, holiday lights and candles need to be turned off or extinguished before leaving the room or going to bed, and especially before leaving home. If you are entertaining guests, designate a responsible family member to walk around your home ensuring that candles and smoking materials are properly extinguished once guests leave.

In addition to following safety precautions with holiday lights and decorations, this is a great time for Yolo County families to make sure that their smoke alarms are functioning properly and practice their home fire escape plan, says Neu.

At a minimum, smoke alarms need to be installed outside of each sleeping area and on each level of your home. If you sleep with closed doors, install alarms inside sleeping areas too. Use the test button to test each smoke alarm once a month. All smoke alarm batteries need to be replaced once a year. Fire escape plans should include at least two escape routes for every room in the home. Also chose a convenient meeting place at a safe distance from your home. Practice your escape plan at least twice a year with all family members. The Red Cross recommends following the below tips to help prevent holiday home fires:

Christmas Tree Care

§ Purchase flame retardant metallic or artificial trees.

§ If you purchase a real tree, make sure that it has fresh, green needles that aren't easily broken. Keep live trees as moist as possible by giving them plenty of water.

§ Use a sturdy tree stand designed not to tip over.

§ Keep trees at least three feet away from heat sources, including fireplaces, portable heaters, radiators, heat vents and candles.

§ Make sure that any light strings or other decorations for the tree are in good condition and follow manufacturer's instructions for their use. Do not use anything with frayed electrical cords.

§ Be careful not to drop or flick cigarette ashes near a tree.

§ Never put tree branches or needles in a fireplace or wood burning stove.

§ Safely dispose of trees as they become dry and needles begin to drop.

§ Dispose of trees through recycling centers or community pick-up services. Dried-out trees should not be left at home or in a garage, or placed against the home or garage.

Holiday Lights and Decorations

§ Always unplug tree and holiday lights before leaving home or going to bed.

§ Inspect holiday lights each year for frayed wires, bare spots, broken or cracked sockets, and excessive kinking or wear.

§ Avoid overloading electrical outlets by not linking more than three light strands.

§ Use decorations that are flame-resistant or flame-retardant.

§ Place decorations at least three feet away from fireplaces, portable heaters, radiators, heat vents and candles.

Holiday Candles

§ Remember that lit candles are fire. Always extinguish candles before leaving the room or going to bed.

§ Never use lit candles to decorate a tree.

§ Keep candles at least 12 inches away from trees, evergreens, holiday decorations, and other items that can catch on fire like clothing, papers and curtains.

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§ Use candle holders that are sturdy, won't tip over easily, are made from a material that cannot burn, and are large enough to collect dripping wax.

§ Place candles only where they cannot be reached or easily knocked over by children and pets.

§ Consider using battery-operated "flameless" candles that are scented and have a flickering affect.

The Red Cross depends on the generous support of Yolo County residents to respond to our neighbors who are affected by home fires. You can help the Red Cross continue to be ready to respond and help fire victims by making a financial contribution to the American Red Cross of Yolo County today. To make a financial donation, visit www.yc-arc.org, or send a donation to the American Red Cross, 120 Court Street, Woodland, CA 95695.

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Check presentation to Decon Environmental Services, Inc. – left to right: Jason Smith, Waste Management, Inc.; William Belk, Decon Environmental Services, Inc.; Maria Guintu-Espinoza, Decon Environmental Services, Inc.; Stacey Elfrink, Decon Environmental Services, Inc.; Jason Meehan, Decon Environmental Services, inc.; Paulina Rosenthal, City of West Sacramento).

From Paulina Rosenthal
Recycling Coordinator
City of West Sacramento

Decon Environmental Services, Inc. is a Cash for Trash Recycling Contest winner and was awarded $125 prize for their recycling efforts. The Cash for Trash contest was coordinated by the City of West Sacramento Refuse & Recycling Division and Waste Management, Inc. and was started in an effort to increase awareness and participation in our commercial recycling programs. Here's how the contest worked: The program letter and entry form were mailed to all commercial customers in West Sacramento that have trash service under the city contract with Waste Management. If the business has both trash and recycling services, they may enter the contest by submitting an entry form. If the business does not have both services, they may start free recycling service in order to be eligible to participate. Beginning on July 1 and continuing through November, an entry form was selected at random each month. The trash was then intercepted and checked for recyclable materials. If no recyclable materials were found in the trash, the business was awarded a cash prize of $125. If recyclable materials were found in the trash, the prize money was rolled over to the next month, and so on.

Just two of the selected entrants passed the recycling evaluation during the contest - Decon Environmental Services, Inc. and North State Bandag, the October winner. Each business received a cash prize.

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Disobedience, the rarest and most courageous of the virtues, is seldom distinguished from neglect, the laziest and commonest of the vices.
—George Bernard Shaw

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov. 20 2007
File No. 2007-1156

The following person is doing business as DTC Investments, 3002 Beacon Blvd., West Sacramento CA 95691:

Richard G. Jones, Timothy T. McIsaac and Roderic A. McIsaac, 3002 Beacon Blvd., West Sacramento CA 95691.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on NA.

/s/Roderic A. McIsaac

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Nov 20 2007
by: /s/Ava Woodard, Deputy Clerk

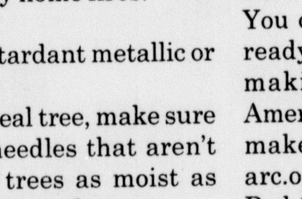
Dec 5 12 19 26

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2007-1151

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
Capital Valley Investments, 2215 Plaza Drive, Suite 100 Rocklin, CA 95765
Diablo Investments, LLC, a California limited liability company 2215 Plaza Drive, Suite 100 Rocklin, CA 95765
This business is conducted by A Limited Liability Company
The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/2002
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
Diablo Investments, LLC
S/ Gary Whitesides, Managing Member
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on November 20, 2007
NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before that time.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/07
CNS-1234638#
NEWS-LEDGER

Food Ideas

(NAPS)—Thanks to state-of-the-art freezing, it's possible to enjoy top-quality raspberries from Washington (the top raspberry-growing state in the country) all year long. For information about raspberry nutrition and recipes featuring this favorite fruit, visit www.red-raspberry.org.



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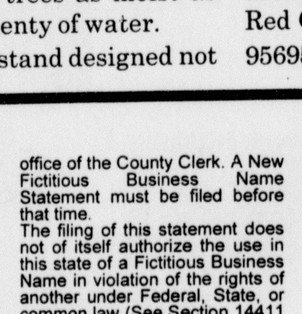

The term flagstone comes from the Norse word flagga, which means to flake. True flagstone is a hard stone that is flaked into flat pieces for paving.

Public Notice Date: 11/28/07
Request for Proposal (RFP)
Project/Service Summary

Washington Unified School District is requesting proposals for the lease and maintenance of copy machines within the district. The intent of this Request for Proposal is to establish a contract for a copier acquisition program based on a Cost Per Copy pricing wherein the contractor supplies the copier, scheduled routine maintenance, repairs, parts, and ALL consumables (except paper). Currently the District has approximately 50 copy machines of various sizes and speeds. A document titled "Request for Proposal for Lease and Maintenance of Copy Machines" contains detailed information regarding this posting and submission requirements. A copy of this document can be secured from the following locations: **District Website:** http://www.wusd.k12.ca.us/main.html — See Hyperlink titled "Bids/Contracts", **District Office:** Washington Unified School District, 930 Westacre Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Attn: Julienne DeGeyter, Accounting Supervisor (916) 375-7600. **Bids shall be submitted by:** December 14th at 4:00 p.m. Washington Unified School District intends to award the contract to the lowest, responsive, responsible bid. The Washington Unified School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids offered in response to this posting and either rebid or take any other action permitted by statute. The District reserves the right to negotiate the terms and conditions of any final contract for purchase of the item(s) described above

Nov 28 Dec 5

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
Trustee Sale No. 5656 Loan No. WEST SACRAMENTO Title Order No. 3420673 APN 014-332-23-1 **YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 03/30/06. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On December 12, 2007 at 12:45 PM,GOLDEN WEST FORECLOSURE SERVICE, INC., A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION as the duly appointed Trustee** under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 04/05/06 DOC- 2006-0013458-00 Book Page of official records in the Office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California, executed by: WILLIAM W. GURR, JR., AN UNMARRIED MAN, as Trustor,GARY L. ROSETTO, as Beneficiary, **WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH** (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: **AT THE NORTH ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL LOCATED 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA,** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED ON SAID DEED OF TRUST. A.P.N. 014-332-23-1. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **916 JOAN STREET, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95605.** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $61,678.49 (Estimated). Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 11/13/07 GOLDEN WEST FORECLOSURE SERVICE, INC., AS TRUSTEE, Peninsula Corporate Center, 805 Veterans Blvd., Suite 218, Redwood City, CA 94063-1736, (650) 369-2150 (Phone) **(530) 672-3033 Trustee's Sale Information.** By: Michael D. Orth, Secretary. NPP0124130 PUB: 11/21/07, 11/28/07, 12/05/07

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION (CITACION JUDICIAL)
CASE NUMBER: (NUMERO DEL CASO) 07AS04798

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT (AVISO AL DEMANDADO): ALL PERSONS INTERESTED INTHE MATTER OF the validity of a Settlement Agreement, dated October 16, 2007, by and between the State Board of Equalization, Pacific Gas & Electric Company, and the counties of Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Yuba.
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
You have until January 30, 2008, to file a typewritten response at this court. This action seeks judicial validation of that certain Settlement Agreement and Mutual Special Release ("the Settlement Agreement"), dated October 16, 2007, by and among the State Board of Equalization ("SBE"), Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"), and the counties of Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Yuba ("the Counties"), establishing the methodology to value certain state-assessed real property, and accordingly assess certain property taxes, relating to SBE's determination that PG&E has taxable possessory interests in certain local agency hydroelectric facilities located within one or more of the Counties, from fiscal year 2007-2008 through the expiration of PG&E's presently existing power purchase contracts with five local water agencies/irrigation districts. The Settlement Agreement resolves a pending lawsuit filed by PG&E against SBE and the Counties, and resolves claims for refund filed by PG&E with SBE and the Counties, wherein PG&E alleged that it did and does not have such taxable possessory interests and that the amount of state-assessed property taxes assessed and levied was excessive; and by which PG&E sought to recover such state-assessed real property taxes for fiscal years 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006 and 2006-2007. Plaintiff seeks a judgment from the court that, among other things, SBE has the lawful authority to enter into the Settlement Agreement and that the Settlement Agreement is a valid, binding, and lawful agreement of SBE and the parties thereto, and creates valid, binding and lawful obligations of SBE and the parties thereto pursuant to its terms.
If you contest the legality or validity of the matters involved in this lawsuit, you will not be subject to punitive action, such as wage garnishment or seizure of your real or personal property. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.
There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association.
Después de que le entreguen esta citación judicial usted tiene hasta el 30 de Enero del 2008, para presentar una respuesta escrita a máquina en esta corte. Esta acción procura validación judicial que cierto Acuerdo de Finiquito y Liberación Especial Mutua (el "Acuerdo del Finiquito", fechado el 16 de Octubre del 2007, por y entre la Junta Estatal de Igualación ("SBE"), Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"), y los condados de Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra y Yuba ("los Condados"), que estableció la metodología para valorar bienes raíces tasados por el estado, y de acuerdo a esto tasar ciertos impuestos de propiedad, relacionados a la determinación de SBE que PG&E tiene intereses posesorios imponibles en ciertas instalaciones de la agencia local hidroeléctrica ubicados dentro de uno o más de los Condados, del año fiscal 2007-2008 hasta el vencimiento de los contratos de compra de potencia existentes con otros cinco distritos hidráulicos/distritos de irrigación locales. El Acuerdo del Finiquito resuelve un litigio pendiente archivado por PG&E contra SBE y los Condados, y resuelve reclamaciones de reembolso archivadas por PG&E con SBE y los Condados, donde PG&E alegó que no tenía y no tiene tales intereses posesorios imponibles y que la cantidad de los impuestos sobre la propiedad tasados por el estado impuestos y tasados era excesiva; y por lo cual PG&E procuró recuperar tales impuestos sobre bienes raíces tasados por el estado para los años fiscales 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006 y 2006-2007. El demandante procura un fallo del tribunal que, entre otras cosas, SBE tiene la autoridad legal de celebrar el Acuerdo de Finiquito y que el Acuerdo de Finiquito es un acuerdo válido, obligatorio, y legal de SBE y las partes de este, y crea obligaciones válidas , obligatorias y legales de SBE y las partes de este de acuerdo a sus términos.
Si disputan la legalidad o la validez de los asuntos involucrados en esta demanda civil, no estarán sujetos a daños punitivos, tales como la retención de sus sueldos o el secuestro de sus bienes muebles o inmebles. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp/espanol/), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede mas cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podra quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.
Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en sel sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp/espanol/) a poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales.
The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y direccion de la corte es):
SACRAMENTO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT 720 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
STEVEN J. GREEN, Deputy Attorney General Office of the Attorney General 1300 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
Telephone: (916) 324-5157
Date (Fecha): Oct 23, 2007
By (Secretario) C. McWilliams, Deputy (Adjunto)
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PUZZLES & COMICS

R.F.D.

by Mike Marland

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!
YOU KNOW JUNE--SHE CAN'T RESIST WHEN THEY SAY "WOULD'JA LIKE TO SUPER-SIZE THAT?"
TWEEEEEEET!
MARLAND
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Mama's Boyz

by Jerry Craft

IT'S YOUR TURN TO CHOOSE TONIGHT'S KWANZAA ACTIVITY...
...JUST PICK SOMETHING WE CAN ALL DO THAT'S FUN AND WE CAN LEARN FROM.
HINT!
GUESS I JUST LEARNED NEVER TO ASK HIM THAT AGAIN!
JERRY Craft
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Amber Waves

by Dave Phipps

HEY, UNCLE JOE. HOW IS THE NATIONAL GUARD?
...WOW, YOU DO ALL THAT IN JUST ONE DAY!
MOM, UNCLE SAYS THIS IS THE TOUGHEST JOB HE HAS EVER HAD.
YEAH, WELL, THAT'S BECAUSE HE'S NEVER BEEN A PARENT.
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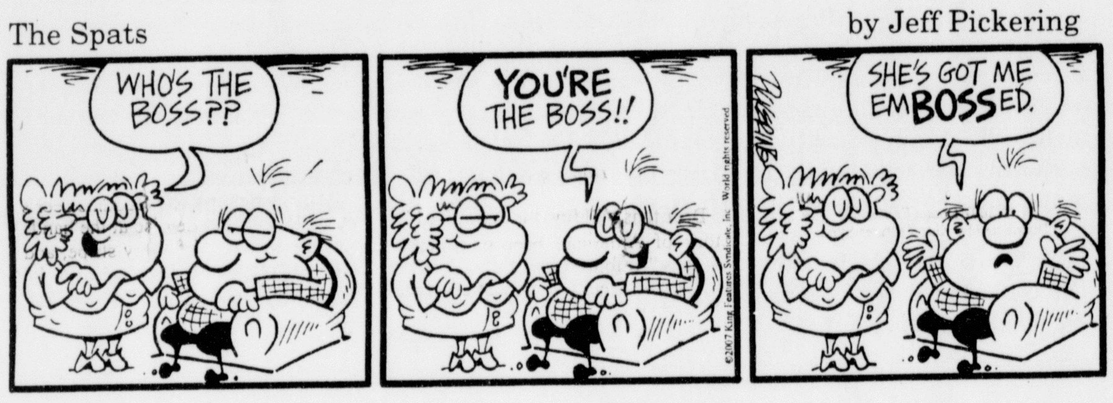
The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



POPEYE
Hey Eisman
ROUGHHOUSE JUST PUT A BURGER ON THE GRILL...
...HE ASSUMES THAT'S WHAT I'M GOING TO ORDER!
THIS IS THE ULTIMATE TEST!
I MUST LEARN TO EXERCISE MY WILL POWER...
...DO I HAVE THE ABILITY TO LISTEN TO A BURGER SIZZLING AND SAY NO?
CAN I INHALE THE AROMA OF SAID "SIZZLER"...
...AND STILL SAY NO?
CAN I STEEL MYSELF IN THE FACE OF ONGOING TEMPTATION...
...AND CONTINUE TO SAY NO?
OR AM I GOING TO DEPRIVE MYSELF OF A LUSCIOUS CHEESE-BURGER...
NO!
THE TRICK IS LEARNING TO PHRASE THE QUESTION CORRECTLY!
Hy Eisman
www.kingfeatures.com

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DR. HANS ZARKOV
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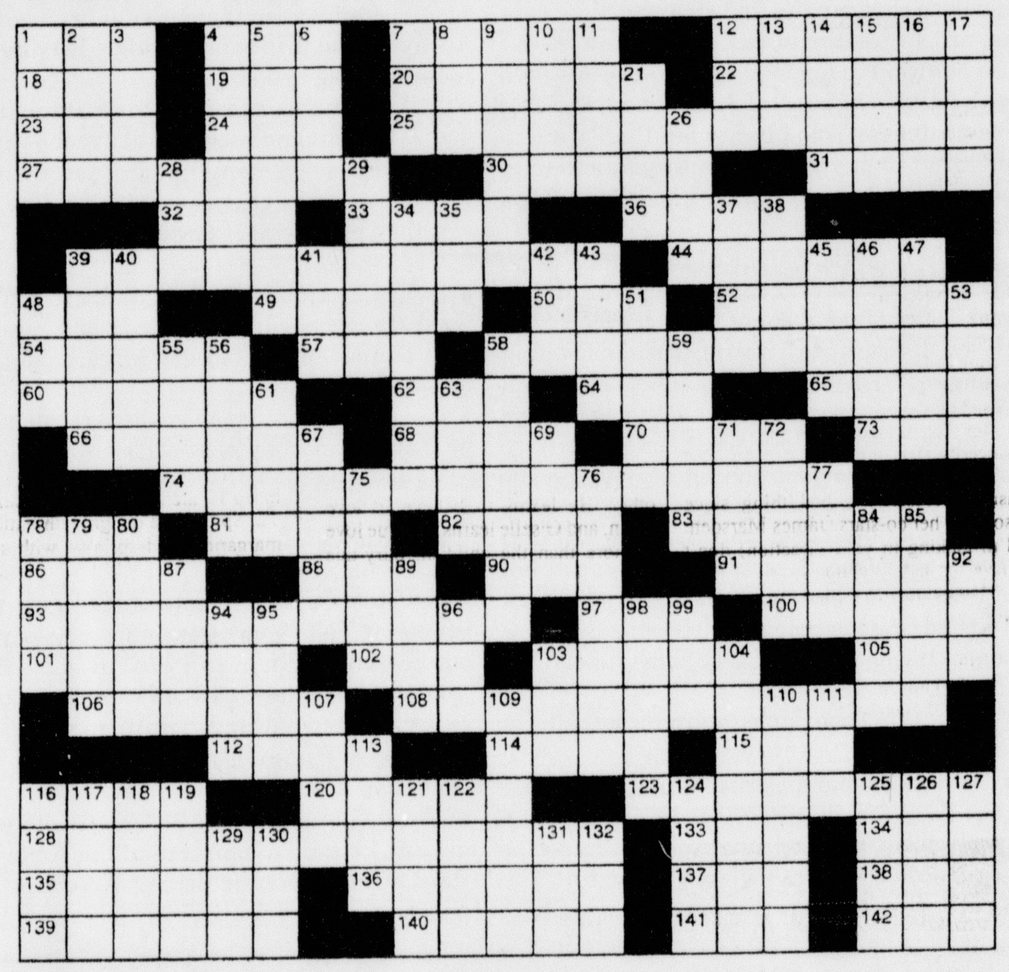
...TO STAY ALIVE LONG ENOUGH TO FIND A WAY HOME.
FLASH GORDON
By JIM KEEFE
www.keefestudios.com
THE POWER LEVEL IS ONLY AT 68%.
IT'LL HAVE TO DO.
GET READY, THIS IS GOING TO BE CLOSE...
TOK!
FWOOM!
SHOOM!
I'D SAY THAT WAS ENOUGH JOYRIDING FOR ONE DAY...TIME TO HEAD HOME.
NEXT: TOURNAMENT OF DEATH!

Super Crossword

M&MS

ACROSS
1 It may be tipped
4 W.C. Fields quote?
7 Poisonous plant
12 Social groups
18 Palindromic name
19 Important numero
20 Ages
22 Lama or imam
23 Singer Shannon
24 CEO, e.g.
25 Silent performer
27 Like Donne's poetry
30 Aquatic mammal
31 Slight
32 Zombie ingredient
33 Memphis deity
36 Obligation
39 Famed anthropologist
44 — fin
48 Scand. nation
49 Summarize
50 Computer acronym
52 Kitchen utensils
54 — one's time (waits)
57 Weber's "— Freischutz"
58 '98 home run king
60 Praise
62 Female goat
64 "O Sole —"
65 Sour fruit
66 Like some watches
68 Bradley or Epps
70 "Heat and —" ('83 film)
73 Writer Rand
74 Education pioneer
78 Woods' grp.
81 Indication
82 Wordsworth works
83 Magazine employee
86 Air bear?
88 — Gatos, CA
90 MA hours
91 Winter wear
93 Bearded bandleader
97 Lamb's dam
100 Wear away
101 Illinois city
102 Financial abbr.
103 What trumpets do
105 Diarist Anais
106 Homeric combatants
108 5th Dimension member
112 Farmer's place
114 Yemeni city
115 Bond rating
116 Lhasa —
120 Ocean vessel
123 Glass' "— on the Beach"
128 "Full Metal Jacket" star
133 Team scream
134 Humorist George
135 Babbled
136 Mame, for one
137 Consumed a knish
138 Gender
139 Lady of Spain
140 Moshe of Israel
141 Contemporary
142 Use a shuttle

DOWN
1 Muslim pilgrimage
2 Lost
3 Soft mineral
4 "Bah! —!"
5 Boxer Johansson
6 Baird or Witherspoon
7 Theological sch.
8 — tree (cornered)
9 Sulky
10 Part of 12 Down
11 Atkins or Huntley
12 Calculating person?
13 O'Hare info
14 Incites Rover
15 Rock hound?
16 Jacob's twin
17 Pencil piece
21 "Ethan Frome" prop
26 Eloquent equine
28 Rink legend
29 Caroline, to Ted
34 Celebrity
35 Little devil
37 Comice kin
38 Math subject
39 Shearer of "The Red Shoes"
40 "As You Like It" setting
41 Silly Skelton
42 Periodontists' org.
43 Campus digs
45 Whips up a waistcoat
46 Spanish city
47 Croce's Mr. Brown
48 Leno's network
51 Loses control
53 Noted
55 Dutch treat?
56 Patriot Deane
58 Ramble
59 Animal that roared?
61 Singer Amos
63 Melville novel
67 Tenor Beniamino
69 Hwys.
71 Fountain order
72 Threefold
75 "I'm — Cowhand" ('36 song)
76 Getty or Parsons
77 "Take — leave it!"
78 Heart, e.g.
79 "Peer Gynt" composer
80 "Maltese Falcon" actress
84 Maine town
85 Chatter box?
87 Square measure
89 Actor Pickens
92 Berry or Olin
94 Sped
95 Construct
96 Bartok or Peron
98 One of the Osmonds
99 Directional suffix
103 Command
104 Stem
107 "— Hand" ('81 hit)
109 One in a million
110 Salted snack
111 Purrfect pet?
113 South American capital
116 Current amount
117 Unwind a rind
118 Mikita of hockey
119 Conductor Klemperer
121 Stentorian
122 Writer O'Brien
124 Neighbor of Pakistan
125 — Haven, CT
126 Brainstorm
127 Casanova's cry?
129 "— Alibi" ('89 film)
130 Author LeShan
131 Nicole on "Fame"
132 Browning's bedtime?



Answers to puzzles are on Page 4

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

5	3			1			2	
	1		4				5	8
		4		9	7	6		
9					1	8		6
1		5		2			7	
	4		9		6	5		
6			2			7		5
		3		6	9		8	
	9	7	1					3

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

	–		x		10
+		x		x	
	+		+		22
÷		+		–	
	+		x		30
5		13		25	

1 2 3 4 5 5 6 7 9

DIFFICULTY: ★★

★ Moderate ★★ Difficult
★★★ GO FIGURE!

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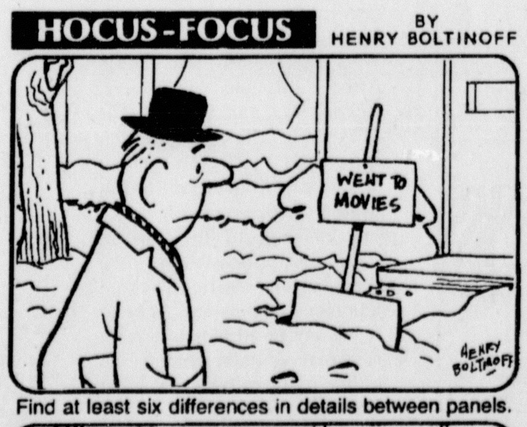
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

MAGIC MAZE ● ASIAN COUNTRIES

S Y U R B O K H D A X U Q N K
H E B Y V A S P M J H E B Y V
T Q O L I G H D B T Y W T R P
M K I F A A D R N H B Y W C U
S Q O M K I I F A A A D H B Z
X W U S Q S L L O I T I N L J
H F D N C S A O E L N U D Y W
V T S Q A U O N G A A E H N P
N L K I H R U A P N R P M B I
F E C Q A R I A L D O S E R B
A M R U B Z J Y W V U M I N A

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Armenia	China	Israel	Nepal
Bahrain	India	Japan	Russia
Bhutan	Iran	Laos	Thailand
Brunei	Iraq	Mongolia	

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CRITIC'S CORNER
By D.N.A Smith

"Enchanted"

Running time: 1 hour 47 minutes
MPAA rating: PG

"Enchanted" — a Disney movie that parodies Disney — is one of those movies that could so easily fall on its face. Parody is tough to pull off, doubly so for a studio wound as tightly as Disney.

The reason "Enchanted" is such a delightful movie is due in large part to the extraordinary performance of Amy Adams, who stars as the princess-to-be Giselle. Adams' captivating and infectious enthusiasm pulls you into the magical world that for Giselle is her only reality.

Her commitment to her role and the sincerity that she brings to the part often overwhelm her co-stars. But this isn't necessarily a bad thing since some of her co-stars (James Marsden, I'm looking in your direction) don't have the acting chops to make their cartoon-cum-flesh characters believable.

The story draws its inspiration from several Disney animated classics, "Snow White" in particular. Giselle is the fairest maiden in Andalasia. She sings a lot about her True Love's Kiss, and has many wee woodland friends to help her make pretty dresses and clean house.

Prince Edward, Giselle's true love, has been kept far away from Giselle, thanks to the machinations of his wicked step-mother (Susan Sarandon, who has an obviously fun time chewing up the scenery). Things go awry when Edward and Giselle accidentally meet.

The wicked step-mother banishes Giselle far away from their cartoon

Amy Adams

realm to the real-life New York City. Giselle is rescued by a divorced attorney and single dad (Patrick Dempsey). As Giselle and the lawyer get to know one another, they both learn from each other. He learns to believe in love again, and Giselle learns that true love is more than the childish, fairy-tale version.

"Enchanted" is a wonderful kids' movie that also will give grown-ups one heckuva fun time at the theater. So far, I think it's the best movie of the holiday season.

GRADE: A

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Donna's Day
Creative family fun
by Donna Erickson

Use Old Cinnamon Rolls to Bake Bread Pudding

We enjoy cinnamon rolls with morning coffee when relatives come for a visit this time of year. We either pick them up at a bakery or bake this easy recipe with anyone who wants to get their hands in the dough! The next day, the leftover rolls can be transformed into a yummy "Apple Pecan Bread Pudding."

EASY FAMILY CINNAMON ROLLS

- *1 package of yeast roll mix or a batch of yeast bread dough*
- *1/4 cup butter or margarine*
- *1/4 cup sugar*
- *1/4 cup cinnamon*
- *Raisins and nuts, if desired*

Glaze:

- *1 cup powdered sugar*
- *2 tablespoons milk*

1. Prepare and roll the bread dough into a 10-inch-by-12-inch rectangle.
2. Spread the dough with butter or margarine, and sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon. Add raisins and nuts, if desired.
3. Roll the dough up along the long side. Slice the dough into 1-inch rounds using a bread knife. Or try dental floss to cut the dough by placing it under the large roll of dough. Lift the floss and quickly crisscross it through the dough roll to make a round.
4. Place dough rounds in a 9-inch pan, cover and let rise about 1 hour.
5. Bake in 350 F oven for 35 minutes. Cool.
6. Stir together the powdered sugar and milk in a small bowl.
7. Drizzle glaze over cinnamon rolls.

APPLE PECAN BREAD PUDDING

- *8 ounces day-old cinnamon rolls, cubed*
- *1/2 cup chopped pecans*
- *1 cup sliced, peeled apples*
- *2 eggs*
- *2 cups milk*
- *1/2 teaspoon vanilla*
- *1/2 cup sugar, if desired*
- *Maple syrup*

1. Coat an 8- or 9-inch cake pan with nonstick spray. Place the bread cubes in the pan and toss in the pecans and apples.
2. Blend the eggs, milk and sugar (optional) in a medium bowl. Add vanilla.
3. Pour the mixture over the bread and let stand for about 20 minutes.
4. Bake in a 350 F oven for about 45 minutes, until golden brown. Cut into squares to serve.
5. Serve with warm maple syrup.

Donna Erickson's award-winning television series "Donna's Day" airs on public television nationwide. Visit www.donnasday.com to find out when it airs on your local PBS station and to sign up for Donna's e-newsletter.

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Moments in time
THE HISTORY CHANNEL

- On **Dec. 24, 1851,** a devastating fire at the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C., destroys about two-thirds of its 55,000 volumes. The first library catalog, dated April 1802, listed 964 volumes and nine maps.
- On **Dec. 28, 1869,** the Knights of Labor, a labor union of tailors in Philadelphia, hold the first Labor Day ceremonies in American history. In 1894, Congress designated the first Monday in September a legal holiday.
- On **Dec. 27, 1900,** prohibitionist Carry Nation smashes up the bar at the Carey Hotel in Wichita, Kan. Nation became famous for carrying a hatchet and wrecking saloons as part of her anti-alcohol crusade. After the incident at the Carey Hotel, her fame increased as she continued her saloon-smashing campaign and spoke out in favor of temperance.
- On **Dec. 30, 1903,** a fire in the Iroquois Theater in Chicago kills 591 people. There were no fire escapes or ladders, and an asbestos stage curtain that could have contained the fire to backstage turned out to be made of paper. All 30 fire exits were locked.
- On **Dec. 25, 1938,** producer David O. Selznick asks Vivien Leigh to play Scarlett O'Hara in "Gone With the Wind." Author Margaret Mitchell received an unprecedented $50,000 for the rights to her novel.
- On **Dec. 29, 1940,** London suffers its most devastating air raid when Germans firebomb the city. The next day, a newspaper photo of St. Paul's Cathedral standing undamaged amid the smoke and flames seemed to symbolize the capital's unconquerable spirit during the Battle of Britain.
- On **Dec. 26, 1974,** beloved comedian Jack Benny dies of cancer. Benny was born Benjamin Kubelsky in 1894. Despite the stingy skinflint image he cultivated on the air, Benny was known for his generosity and modesty in real life.

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Auld Lang Syne Dip

Add a dip to your vegetable and cracker tray that won't add extra pounds to your hips this holiday season.

- *1 (8-ounce) package Philadelphia fat-free cream cheese*
- *1/2 cup Kraft Fat Free French Dressing*
- *1/4 cup Land O Lakes no-fat sour cream*
- *1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce*
- *1 teaspoon dried onion flakes*
- *1 teaspoon dried parsley flakes*

In a large bowl, stir cream cheese with a sturdy spoon until soft. Add French dressing and sour cream. Mix well to combine. Stir in Worcestershire sauce, onion flakes and parsley flakes. Cover and refrigerate for at least 30 minutes. Gently stir again just before serving. Makes 8 (3 tablespoon) servings.

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—Rainer Maria Rilke

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Good Housekeeping

Hoppin' John

This moist and delicious rice-and-pea mixture is traditionally served on New Year's Day for good luck. We made cooking the black-eyed peas simple — only one step — no presoaking necessary! On day of party, make rice, then reheat peas and stir together before serving.

COOK: 15 minutes
TOTAL: 1 hour 5 minutes
MAKES: 20 servings

- *1 tablespoon vegetable oil*
- *2 stalks celery, chopped*
- *1 large onion, chopped*
- *1 medium red pepper, chopped*
- *2 cloves garlic, minced*
- *1 package (16-ounce) dry black-eyed peas*
- *1 large (about 3/4 pound) smoked ham hock*
- *2 cans (14 1/2 ounces each) chicken broth*
- *1/4 teaspoon red pepper, crushed*
- *1 bay leaf*
- *2 teaspoons salt*
- *2 cups regular long-grain rice*
- *Parsley, chopped, for garnish*

1. In 4-quart saucepan over medium-high heat, heat vegetable oil. Add celery, onion and red pepper; cook 10 minutes until golden. Add garlic; cook 2 minutes longer.
2. Rinse peas with running cold water and discard any stones or shriveled peas. Add peas, ham hock, chicken broth, crushed red pepper, bay leaf, 1 teaspoon salt and 4 cups water to celery mixture; over high heat, heat to boiling. Reduce heat to low; cover and simmer 40 minutes or until peas are tender.
3. Meanwhile, prepare rice as label directs, but use 1 teaspoon salt and do not add margarine or butter.
4. In large bowl, gently mix pea mixture and rice. Serve hot. Garnish with chopped parsley if you like.

- Each serving: About 150 calories, 2g total fat, 26g carb., 8g protein, 9mg cholesterol, 455mg sodium.

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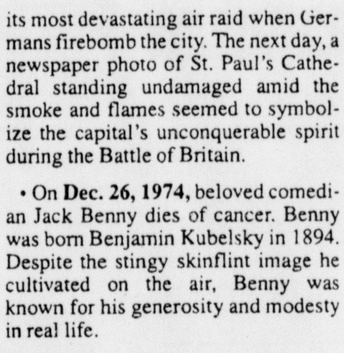
Mulled Cider

This comforting hot cider is easy to make and economical to serve at winter parties. The cider base can be prepared and refrigerated up to 2 days ahead — when ready to heat, add the rum.

COOK: 15 minutes
TOTAL: 1 hours

- *1 gallon apple cider*
- *4 cinnamon sticks (each 3 inches long)*
- *1 1/2 teaspoons whole allspice*
- *1 teaspoon whole cloves*
- *1 navel orange, sliced*
- *1 lemon, sliced*
- *1 cup rum, or to taste (optional)*
- *Cinnamon sticks, for garnish (optional)*

1. In 6-quart saucepot, heat cider with cinnamon sticks, allspice, cloves, orange slices and lemon slices to boiling over high heat. Reduce heat to low; cover and simmer about 45 minutes.
2. Add rum; heat through. Do not boil. Pour cider through sieve into heat-safe punch bowl. Discard spices and fruit slices. Serve hot cider in warm cups



Ambitious Brew: The Story of American Beer
by Maureen Ogle
(Harcourt, Inc., $25)
Reviewed by Bob Vogel

Beer fans will find the definitive history of American beer in Maureen Ogle's "Ambitious Brew: The Story of American Beer." It's an effervescent tale of how the 7,000-year-old beverage was re-invented and re-defined to become a quintessentially American drink.

Ogle taps not the humble origins of beer in general, but its roots in the 19th-century American industrial revolution, where beer morphed from a beverage that everybody brewed in their basement (Founding Fathers included) to a refined product fit for mass distribution and consumption.

It's about the big names in brewing — Busch, Coors, Schlitz, Pabst, Miller — all of whom rank right up there with other industrial titans: Rockefeller, Gould and Schwab. It's about, well, not to sound trite ... the American Dream.

Of course, one couldn't talk about the history of beer without talking about temperance, prohibition, crime and health. But with a discipline that could only belong to a true historian, Ogle's breadth goes beyond the obvious, all the while remaining on-topic and never letting the reader forget it's all about the beer.

At the same time, she recounts beer's struggle and near demise at the hands of prohibitionists of every stripe, and she details how brewers had to make ice cream, bread yeast and cheese just to keep on life support under the shadow of the Volstead Act.

The story of how it took nearly 40 years for the beer industry to recover from prohibition is a bitter one, but the story unfolds to reveal beer's present-day renaissance in America — where a multitude of microbreweries and tens of thousands of homebrewers have once again re-invented beer in true Americans spirit.

That definitely deserves a toast.

Books reviewed in this column are available online or at your local bookstore.

Fave Foods OF THE FAMOUS
by Steven Austin

Stephanie Mehanna

It seems that the only entrepreneurs you ever read about or see on TV talk shows are homebred here in the U.S. But people all over the world have great ideas and make lots of money from them. Throughout Great Britain and Europe, and now here across the pond, Stephanie Mehanna is a fave among dog lovers with her booming business, The Canine Cookie Company, launched in 2005. That's right: A bakery just for your pooch!

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Tell us how you started the company.

"Canine Cookie Company was created in 2005 out of love for our new Irish setter puppy, Alfie. Alfie was a handful, very hyperactive even for your standard setter. After a bout of sickness caused by overindulgence in the biscuit tin, Alfie remained on a plain diet for a few days. I noticed he became calmer and his behavior improved. Alfie remained on a home-cooked diet from then on, and to accompany his main meals and training regime I baked homemade treats. Soon I was sharing my yummy treats at our dog club and with friends on the beach where we live. And after some more research and trips to the U.S. to see similar operations, the company was born."

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A favorite human food of yours you wish someone made into a cookie.

"Oh, how about the British favorite, fish and chips, or a good old Sunday roast? Hmm ... now you have started me thinking. I'm off to the kitchen to create. Now where did I put that roasting tin?"

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FRUITY FURRBALLS

Perfect for pet and humans! Chocolate is not good for dogs, but carob is a safe alternative.

- *5 ounces carob chips or a carob bar broken into small pieces*
- *1 tablespoons pure vanilla extract*
- *8 ounce mix of dried apricots, dried apple rings and dried bananas (non-sulfur varieties)*
- *2 ounces blanched almonds, chopped*

Place carob in a heatproof glass bowl. Set the bowl over a saucepan of lightly simmering water and heat until the carob is melted. Stir in vanilla extract. Use a fork to dip each piece of dried fruit into the carob so half of the fruit is coated. Then dip into chopped nuts and place on grease-proof paper. Leave set for 20 minutes. Transfer to an airtight container and chill until hard. These treats will keep for up to four weeks in the refrigerator.

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Trustee Sale No.: 20070025302668 Title Order No.: M712903 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 6/13/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 07/06/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0032098-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Brian Michael Bick, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 1/2/2008 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1519 and 1521 Pennsylvania, Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 APN#: 058-056-22-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $339,154.04. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call: Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 12/8/2007 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P340355 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/2007

ORDINANCE SUMMARY

At their regular meeting on December 5, 2007 the West Sacramento City Council adopted by the vote noted below **Ordinance 07-21** adopting by reference the 2007 California Fire Code and all appendices except Appendix A and repealing and enacting Chapter 15.14 of the West Sacramento Municipal Code; and **Ordinance 07-20** repealing Ordinance 02-18 and 04-07 for adopting by reference the 2007 California Building Codes and 2006 International Property Maintenance Co; and **Ordinance 07-23** amending Section 2.20.290 and 2.20.300 of the West Sacramento Municipal Code by replacing various references of the Uniform Building Codes with reference to the 2007 California Building Codes. The full texts of the ordinances are available in the City Clerk's Office, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691.
AYES: Beers, Johannessen, Villegas, Cabaldon.
NOES. None.
ABSENT: Kristoff.
ABSTAIN: None.
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Trustee Sale No. 74-27501-2 Title Order No. E718896 APN 058-132-13-1 Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 7/15/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12/18/2007 at 12:45PM Housekey Financial Corporation as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded on 07/25/2005, Instrument No. 2005-0035625-00 of official records in the Office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by Cynthia G. Domasky, an unmarried woman as Trustor, Mers as Beneficiary and Fieldstone Mortgage Company as Lender (Original Lender) and HSBC Mortgage Services Inc., as current Servicer/Lender, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 612 Stone Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95691 Aka: 612 Stone Boulevard West Sacramento, CA 95691. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any shown herein, Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to wit, $266,252.92 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to the sale. CONDITION OF SALE: The successful bidder will be required to pay county documentary transfer tax, any city tax, and any other applicable taxes or fees (including, but not limited to, the fee for recording Preliminary Change of Ownership report) to the auctioneer at the time of sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 11/24/2007 Housekey Financial Corporation P.O. Box 60145 City of Industry, CA 91716 For Sale Information: 714-573-1965 To notify Trustee of Bankruptcy filings, please fax face page of Bankruptcy Petition to (909) 397-3914 Irma Barrios, Trustee Sales Officer Housekey Financial Corporation may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained may be used for that purpose. P338360 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

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TSG No.: 3440253 TS No.: 20079134006855 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 5/18/2005 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12/26/2007 at 12:45 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 05/31/2005, as Instrument No. 2005-0025271-00, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by: John Brooks, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 046-291-01-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2900 Ironwood Way, West Sacramento, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $344,901.57 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 12/5/2007 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent Chet Sconyers – For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P336495 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/2007

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov. 20 2007
File No. 2007-1153

The following person is doing business as Aim Cat Consulting, 1797 Linden Road, West Sacramento CA 95691:

Catherine S. Mills, same address..

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 17, 2007.

/s/Catherine S. Mills

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Nov 20 2007
by: /s/, Deputy Clerk
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Trustee Sale No.: 20070161904000 Title Order No.: 1144358 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 6/8/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 06/13/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0027727-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Andrey Khripunov, a married man as his sole and separate property, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3580 Squaw Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691 APN#: 072-121-17-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $377,214.64. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale information Please Call:

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TS No. 07-0066 Loan No. #66 Notice of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 12/7/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction to sell the highest bidder for cash a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a deed to trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the notice of sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Kae Saelee, a single man and Nicole Saechin, a single woman as joint tenants Duly appointed Trustee: Preferred Default Management, Inc. recorded 12/15/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0062222-00 in book , page of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale 12/27/2007 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $146,509.43, estimated Street Address or other common designation of real property: 2625 Meadowlark Circle West Sacramento, CA 95691 A.P.N.: 45-751-12 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: 11/19/2007 Preferred Default Management, Inc. 3920 Birch Street, Suite 104 Newport Beach, California 92660 949-476-7086 Marc R. Tow, President For Sales Information Call: 714-573-1965 P338026 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

Trustee Sale No.: 20070161904146 Title Order No.: 1144441 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 3/25/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 04/05/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0015259-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Francisco Ibarra and Maria Ibarra, husband and wife as joint tenants, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1331 Hobson Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95605 APN#: 014-531-42-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $265,510.52. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call:

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TS # CA-07-97339-DD Loan # 0017083262 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 6/30/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): JOHN W. BROOKS, AN UNMARRIED MAN Recorded: 07/13/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0027208-00 in book XXX, page XXX of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California; Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $302,937.31 The purported property address is: 780 FAIRWAY DR WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95605 Assessors Parcel No. 014-552-20-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 11/25/2007 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: (714) 573-1965 or Login to: www.prioritypostingcom Reinstatement Line: (619) 645-7711 ext 3704 Shenelle Mason, If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. This notice is sent for the purpose of collecting a debt. This firm is attempting to collect a debt on behalf of the holder and owner of the note. Any information obtained by or provided to this firm or the creditor will be used for that purpose. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. P335047 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

TS # CA-07-97282-DD Loan # 1007157827 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 4/4/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): ANTONIO ZARAGOZA ORTIZ A MARRIED MAN AS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Recorded: 04/10/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0014072-00 in book xxx, page xxx of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California; Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $243,268.61 The purported property address is: 1821 LAUREL LANE WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691000 Assessors Parcel No. 008-483-07-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 11/24/2007 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: (714) 573-1965 or Login to: www.prioritypostingcom Reinstatement Line: (619) 645-7711 ext 3704 Crystal Todd, If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. This notice is sent for the purpose of collecting a debt. This firm is attempting to collect a debt on behalf of the holder and owner of the note. Any information obtained by or provided to this firm or the creditor will be used for that purpose. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. P335108 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

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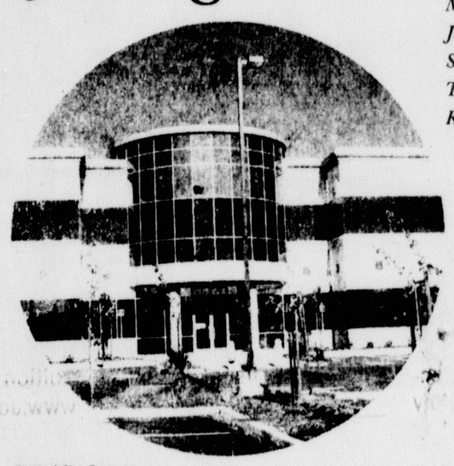

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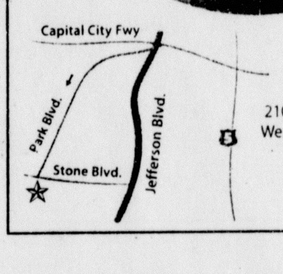

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News-Ledger Directory of Local Places of Worship

Anna Street Baptist Church Rev. Norman Pollitt, 371-6560 1400 Anna St., W. Sac. Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Prayer Time 6:30 p.m.	**Community Lutheran Church** Rev. Marjorie C. Beach, Pastor 920 Drever St., 371-8804 10 a.m. Worship/Sunday School Friendly, inclusive faith language, Progressive thealogy/theology LGBT, Interfaith folks welcome	**Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church** 911 Park Blvd., 371-4814 Father Jos. Karikattil, Pastor Masses: Sat. Vigil 5:30pm Sunday 9 & 10:30 a.m. Weekdays 7 a.m. No Mass on Thursday
Center for Spiritual Awareness 1020 W. Capitol Ave., 374-9177 Sun. services 9 & 11 am Meditation at 10:30 a.m. Praise & worship 10:45 a.m. Junior church for all ages at 11 am	**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints** 2667 Linden Road Bishop Ray Jackson, (916) 372-1113 Sunday Meeting Times: Sacrament Meeting, 9 a.m. PUBLIC WELCOME!	**Seventh Day Adventist Church** Frank Hightower, Elder 519-5329 2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac. PO Box 447, W. Sac. 95691 Sat. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. 372-6570
Trinity Presbyterian Church 1500 Park Blvd., W. Sac. Rev. Steve Whitney (916) 371-5875 9am: Family-Friendly Contemporary Service 11am: Blended Traditional & Contemporary Service	**Holy Cross Catholic Church** 1321 Anna St. (near Todhunter) Pastor Giancarlo Mittempergher Sat. Vigil 5 p.m. (English) Sunday 9 (English) Noon & 7 p.m. (Spanish) Mon 8:30am, Tues-Wed 7am, Thurs. 6:45 (Spanish), Fri. 8:30 a.m. Call 371-1211	**First Southern Baptist Church** Rev. Don Parker Sun. School 9:30 a.m. Sun. Worship 11am Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 2124 Michigan Blvd. 371-2111
SouthPort Community Church Pastor Bruce Maier Celebration Worship Sunday 10:30 a.m. KidLand during service. Youth & Small Group Ministry for All Ages. Call 372-7818. Meets at Bridgeway Island Elem. School 3255 Half Moon Bay Cir. www.southportcommunity.com	**WestSide Covenant Church** Worship Services at Collings Teen Center 1541 Merkley Ave. Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. www.westsidecov.org 371-3933	**New Discovery Christian Church** Now meeting at Bryte Elem. School, 637 Todhunter Ave., West Sacramento at 10:30 a.m. Nondemoninational. Casual dress. Pastor Jerry Green (916) 933-2351
Horizon Christian Fellowship Rev. Claude J Perez, Sr., Pastor 1800 Manzanita Way, 371-3458 SUN Worship 9:30 & 11 am SUN Worship & Prayer 6pm WED Bible Study 7pm THURS Youth Group 7pm 1st & 3rd FRI Singles 7pm 2nd FRI Women's Fellowship 7pm	**Radiant Life Church of West Sacramento** 3605 Gregory Ave (in Southport, where Jefferson, Davis & Gregory meet) Worship Sun. 10 a.m. Youth Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Call 371-6706	**Fresh Oil KingdomMinistries** Meeting every Sunday at 3pm Turner Library Community Rm 1212 Merkley Ave (916) 617-4377 Bible-based ministry. Pastors: William & Rachel Wiley Bible study each Wed. 7pm, 1479 Barona St., W Sac.

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Local Scene

Free luncheon

You're invited to join the First Southern Baptist Church of West Sacramento for a free family meal on Christmas Day between noon and 1:30 p.m. There will be chicken, gravy, and all the trimmings available for up to 100 people. Drop in at 2124 Michigan Blvd. For information, leave a message at 371-2111.

Rib dinner, dance

The West Sacramento Moose Family Center invites members & guests to a prime rib dinner & dance on Dec. 8 at 7 p.m., for $13.50 per person for dinner/dance ($5 cover for dance only), at 3240 Jefferson Blvd. RSVP by Dec. 2 to Gene Evenson, 371-7849; or Rich Huber, 997-4688. Country & western dance to follow dinner.

Christmas lights

The residents of West Sacramento's Call Court once again offer to entertain you with their holiday light decorations. Visit by taking Jefferson Boulevard south to Higgins, turn right, then turn left on Mareca to get to Call Court. You're invited to bring an unwrapped child's toy or a can of food to their collection cans – your donations will go to a local charity. Residents will be handing out candy canes to visitors from 6-9 p.m. on Dec. 14-16.

You Have A Place With Us!

Since 1899, the VFW has worked to ensure the rights, recognition and remembrance for veterans and their families. Providing assistance to those veterans seeking the benefits and entitlements they deserve. Committed to the communities in which we live, we are asking you to join the over 1.7 million veterans who have served their country in the armed forces and continue to serve today through membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars.
If you are a US citizen and have served honorably as a member of the Armed Forces of the United States in a foreign war, insurrection, or expedition which has been recognized with a campaign medal, ribbon or badge (or) served on the Korean peninsula or its territorial waters for not less than 30 consecutive days, or a total of 60 days (or) while a member of the armed forces served in an area that entitled you to receive special pay for hostile fire or imminent danger, you qualify.
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☐ Yes, I meet the above criteria; I'd like to find out how the VFW works for veterans like me.
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More Christmas lights

The Quarnberg and Stanko households at 1238 and 1233 Sullivan Court in West Sacramento invite you to come by and enjoy their holiday displays. There's a gingerbread village, twinkling snowflakes, skaters on a lighted pond and more. Sullivan is off of Fourness, near Hobson and Anna. From 6-7 p.m. on Dec. 9 & 16 Santa and his elves will pass out candy canes..

Used cooking oil?

Pouring your used cooking oil down the drain can cause sewer systems to back up, warns the City of West Sacramento. You can recycle that used cooking oil leftover from holiday cooking, from Nov. 13 to Jan. 11, at the public works department, 1951 South River Road, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Bring the oil in a sturdy container. No charge for city residents; bring photo I.D. The service will also be available Sat., Dec. 1, from 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, call 617-4850.

Candy for kids

Sacramento West Kiwanis Club (formerly the Kiwanis Club of West Sacramento) has opened its "Kandy Shack" at 1510 Merkley Avenue. The club is selling See's candy to raise funds to take at least 50 children age 9-11 to camp for a week in July.

Golden Years

The Golden Years Club of West Sacramento will have a potluck dinner at the VFW Hall, 905 Drever St., at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 18. Please bring your own service. The club serves people age 50 and up. For membership information, call Betty at 371-8479.

E-waste fundraiser

Our Lady of Grace School is collecting old electronic equiprnent for recycling, and helping to raise funds to send "young ambassadors" to Ireland. Bring your old computer monitors, TVs, computers, VCRs, stereo equipment, keyboards, PDAs, digital cameras, phones, printers, copiers and fax machines to the school at 1990 Linden Road from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 12. The partner, CEAR Inc., will shred hard drives for security. For information (or to arrange a pick-up if you can't make it that day) call Christopher or Cathy Baker at 955-2094 or cathybaker63@aol.com.

Christmas Eve

Trinity Presbyterian Church plans two Christmas Eve celebrations on Monday, Dec. 24 at 1500 Park Blvd. At 5 p.m. there will be a family-friendly service featuring the Christmas story in drama and song, along with singing together and gifts for children. At 9 p.m. there will be a more traditional candlelight service with carols, instruments, music and readings, ending with sharing of candles. Sunday worship services are 9 and 11 a.m. For information, call 371-5875 or visit www.TrinityWestSac.org.

Breakfast at VFW

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8762 invites you to breakfast from 9 a.m. to noon on Sunday, Dec. 16, at 905 Drever Street. A $6 donation gets you a menu including biscuits & gravy, sausage, eggs, French toast and more.

Children's Christmas party

VFW Post 8762 will host a children's Christmas party at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 16 at 905 Drever Street. Santa will visit. Please bring a wrapped present with your child's name on it, for each of your children attending. Call 371-7245 for information.

Crab feed

The West Sacramento Moose Lodge will host a Cajun all-you-can-eat crab feed with no-host cocktails at 6 p.m. and dinner ($35) at 7 p.m. at 3240 Jefferson Blvd. on Jan. 12. There will be music for listening & dancing by Ron Bombardier and the Bayou Boys. Tickets in advance only: call Buddy at 371-6303 or 718-4175.

Health award

The Salud Clinic Advisory Board is accepting nominations for the annual John Siden Community Service Award, honoring an individual in a health-related field who serves the community of West Sacramento well, or an individual who has contributed to the health and welfare of the community. For information on nominating someone, call Celestino Mojica at 375-6340.

Medicare info

Yolo County District Attorney reports that open enrollment for Medicare lasts through Dec. 31, allowing people with Medicare to enroll in a program for health care and drug coverage. Seniors should be aware that some salespeople use high-pressure tactics – exercise caution when letting someone into your home. For help from the Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program of Northern California (HICAP), contact the West Sacramento Senior Center at 376-8915. You can also get information at www.medicare.gov or www.opa.ca.gov (California Office of the Patient Advocate, 1-866-466-8900.

Parents & kids

"Mother Goose on the Loose" is scheduled for 10:30 a.m. on Saturday mornings at the Turner Branch Library, 1212 Merkley Avenue, and promises stories and other interactive activities for children up to 36 months and their parents and caregivers. You and your small child are invited.

Spare a coat?

News 10 is bringing back its "Coats for Kids" program, asking you to donate coats for cleaning (if needed) by Swanson's Cleaners and then distribution to needy kids before winter. Visit news10.net for information on drop-off sites, and to learn how to make a cash donation instead. For other information, call the coat hotline at (916) 321-3362.

How to get there

'You've got places to go... how do you want to get there?' asks the Sacramento Area Council of Governments, or SACOG. The organization helps make decisions on regional transportation plans including roads, bike trails and mass transit. You're invited to comment on the "Metropolitan Transportation Plan and environmental impact report. The plan will allocate billions of dollars in funds towards the region's transportation system. Visit www.sacog.org before Dec. 20, or call (916) 321-9000 for more information.

Holiday concert

The West Sacramento Community Orchestra will present a free concert of holiday favorites and classical selections on Sunday, Dec. 16, at 3 p.m. in the civic center galleria (1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento). A second free performance is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 18 at Centennial United Methodist Church, 5401 Freeport Blvd. in Sacramento. More information: 991-5262.

Toy 'library'

Did you know West Sacramento has a "toy library," where families can check out up to five toys at a time for two weeks? A $10 annual fee makes you a member. The library is opened weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the first floor of city hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue. Contact Christine Prater at 617-4620 for information. The toy library also accepts your donated gently-used toys or your monetary contribution (tax deductible).

Christmas party

The West Sacramento Elks Lodge will host a Christmas party for children beginning at 11 a.m. on Dec. 15. Santa will arrive at 12:30 p.m. Kids can put an ornament on the tree, make a Christmas card, see Santa and receive a stocking. Hot dogs & refreshments. The event will take place at 423 Third Street. For more information, call Sherry Wiese at 371-7122 or 215-0102.

Polynesian Dance

Learn traditional steps of Polynesian dance, at the 7-8 p.m. Thursday evening classes continuing at the Alyce Norman Elementary School cafeteria (1200 Anna Street). Call (916) 708-7347 or email leannb@cityofwestsacramento.org.

Solar cooking

'A Day in the Sun,' an 18-minute program on solar cooking, can be seen on Charter Cable TV Channel 21 daily at 6:30 and 11:30 p.m.

Leisure showcase

Various leisure and recreational opportunities will all be on display for you at the Leisure Horizons Showcase, 1-4 p.m. on Friday, January 4, at city hall. Call (916) 708-7347 for information or to sign up your leisure service for a booth.

Holiday bazaar

The West Sacramento Senior Center plans a holiday bazaar from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Dec. 12 at city hall. The center plans its annual "Christmas Lights Trip" the same day; sign up by calling 373-5819.

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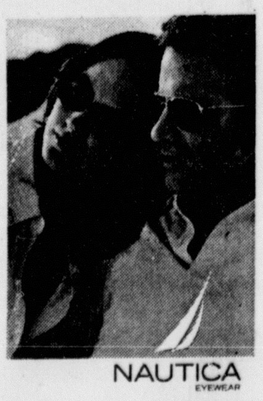
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'Santa Run' continues on West Sac streets

The West Sacramento Fire Department, in conjunction with the West Sacramento Firefighter's Association, is in the middle of its annual "Santa Run" through West Sacramento. With the help of many off-duty firefighter "elves," Santa is riding through various neighborhoods on an elaborately decorated fire truck "sleigh" and handing out candy canes purchased and donated by the West Sacramento Firefighter's Association. Additionally, Santa has a pickup truck following his "sleigh" with helpers collecting any canned food donations for the needy.

The West Sacramento Firefighter's Association invites you to make a donation of canned food during their visit.

This year the Santa Run startsat 6:00 p.m. each night. Santa will be in the following areas on these dates:

Wednesday, December 12th: **Old West Sacramento** following streets: Deerwood, Lakewood, Fernwood, Sonora, Haverhill, Meadow, Webster, Virginia, Alabama, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland.

Thursday, December 13th: **Southport North East** following streets: Kinsington Aster, Manchester, Gateway, Sausalito, Sansome, Hearst, Randolf, Mojave, Merced, Rubicon, Ironwood, Spruce, Redwood, Alder, Lime wood, Almond, Peppertree, Peachtree.

Friday, December 14th: **Southport South West** Following streets: Independence, Lagoon, Meadowlark, Starling, Sandpiper, Pheasant Hollow, Duet, Constitution, Summerfield, Jacquelyn, Janet, Betty, Shirley, Leslie, Diane, Brenda, Kathy, Nancy, Violet, Mareca, Teal, Canvasback, Pitzer, Allen.

Monday, December 17th : **Southport West** (Bridgeway Island) including: Cayman, St. John, Martinique, St.croix, Haiti, Swan, Suisun, Ryer, Catalina, Santa Cruz, Half Moon Bay, Cooper, Fiji, Bowen, Solomon Stuart, Graham, San Salvador, Abaco, Bridgeway Lakes, Henshaw, Eagle, Lewiston, Tahoe, Coyote.